MOBILE SUIT GUNDAM

THE ORIGIN

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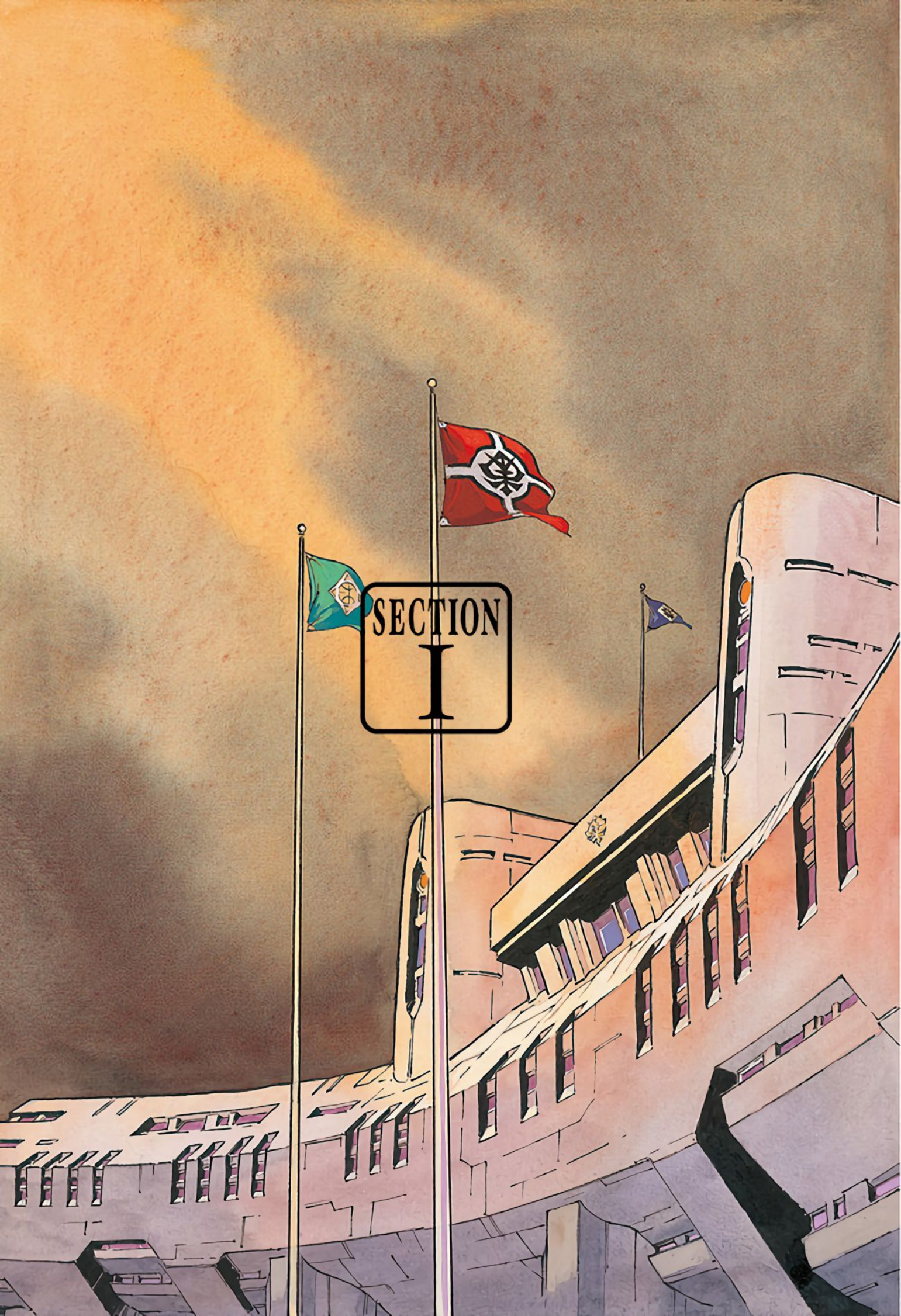
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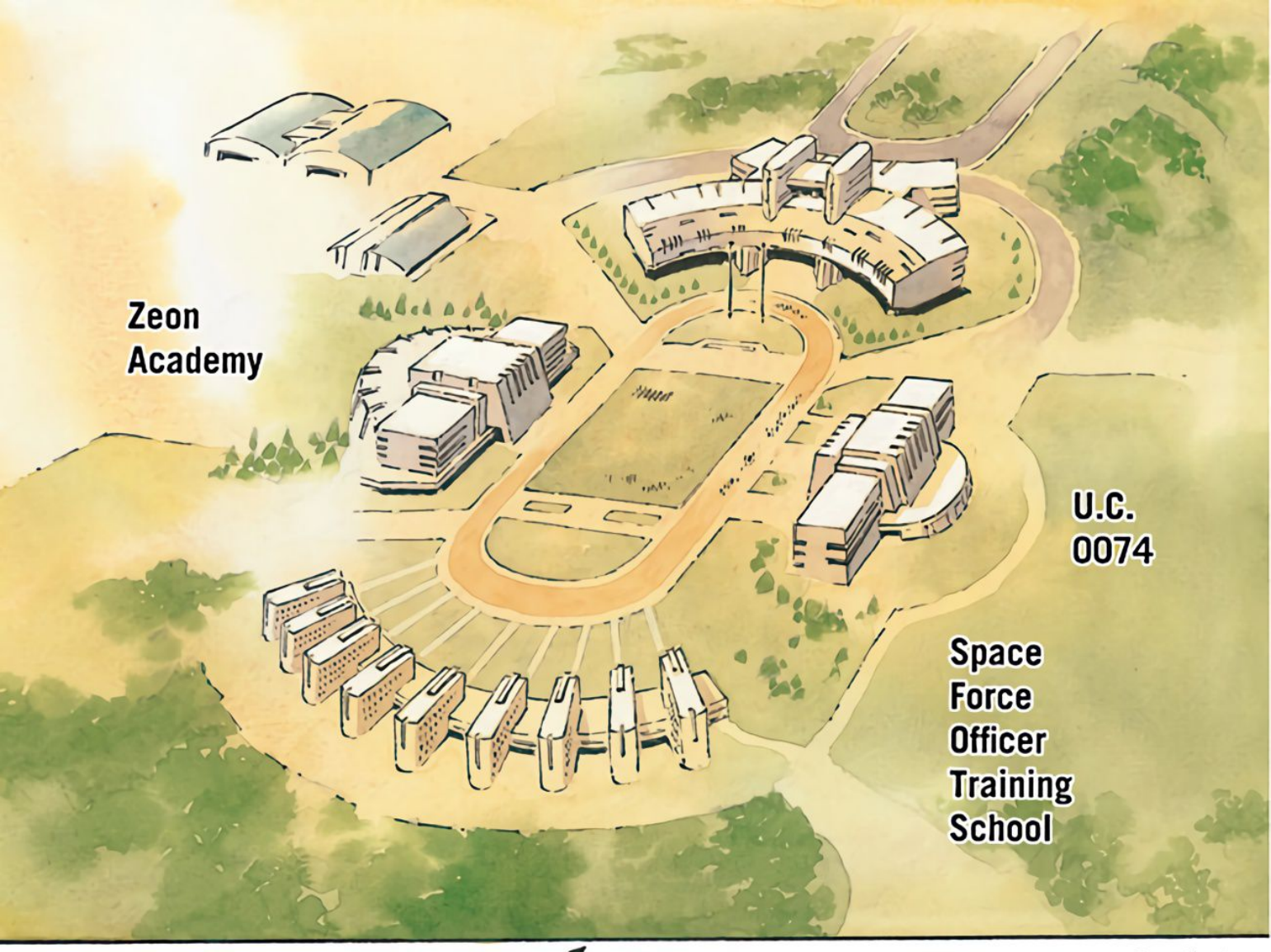
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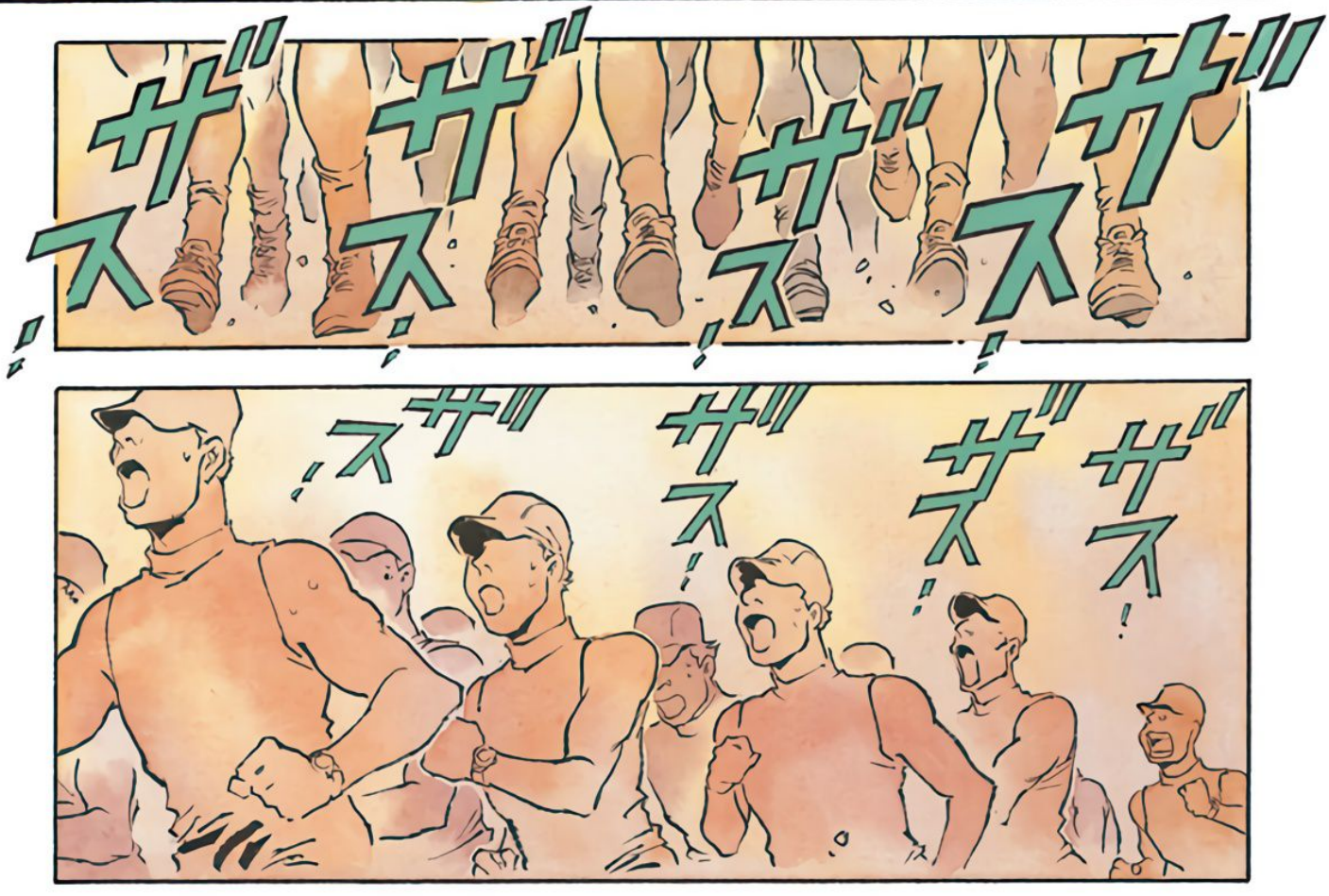
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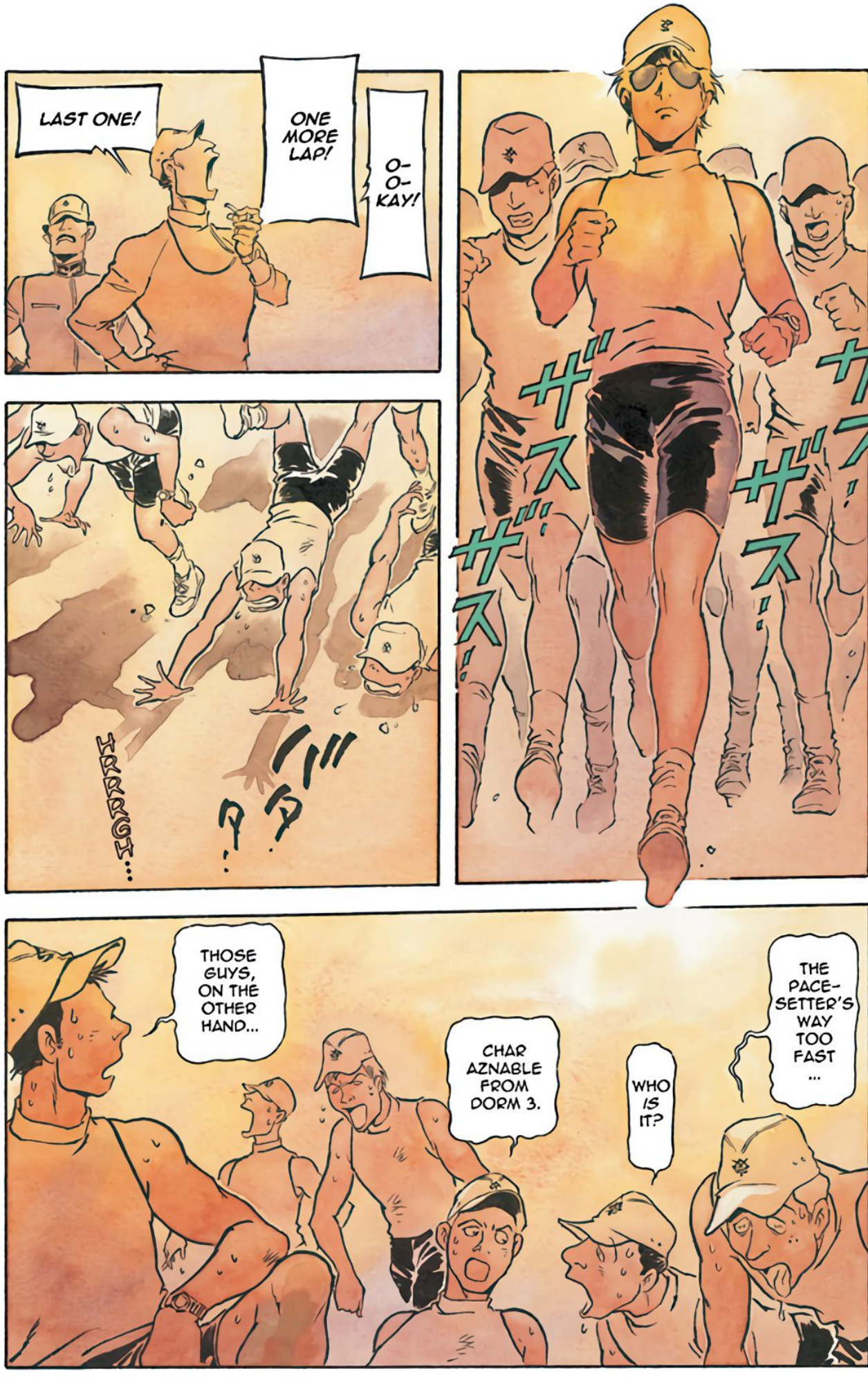
ザス!
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O-O-KAY!
ONE MORE LAP!
LAST ONE!
HRRRGH...
バタ!
THE PACE-SETTER'S WAY TOO FAST ...
WHO IS IT?
CHAR AZNABLE FROM DORM 3.
THOSE GUYS, ON THE OTHER HAND...

HA.
AND HIS "ROYAL GUARD" ...
IT'S GARMA, ISN'T IT?
GOT LAPPED AGAIN.
THEY'RE SLOW.
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HUFF
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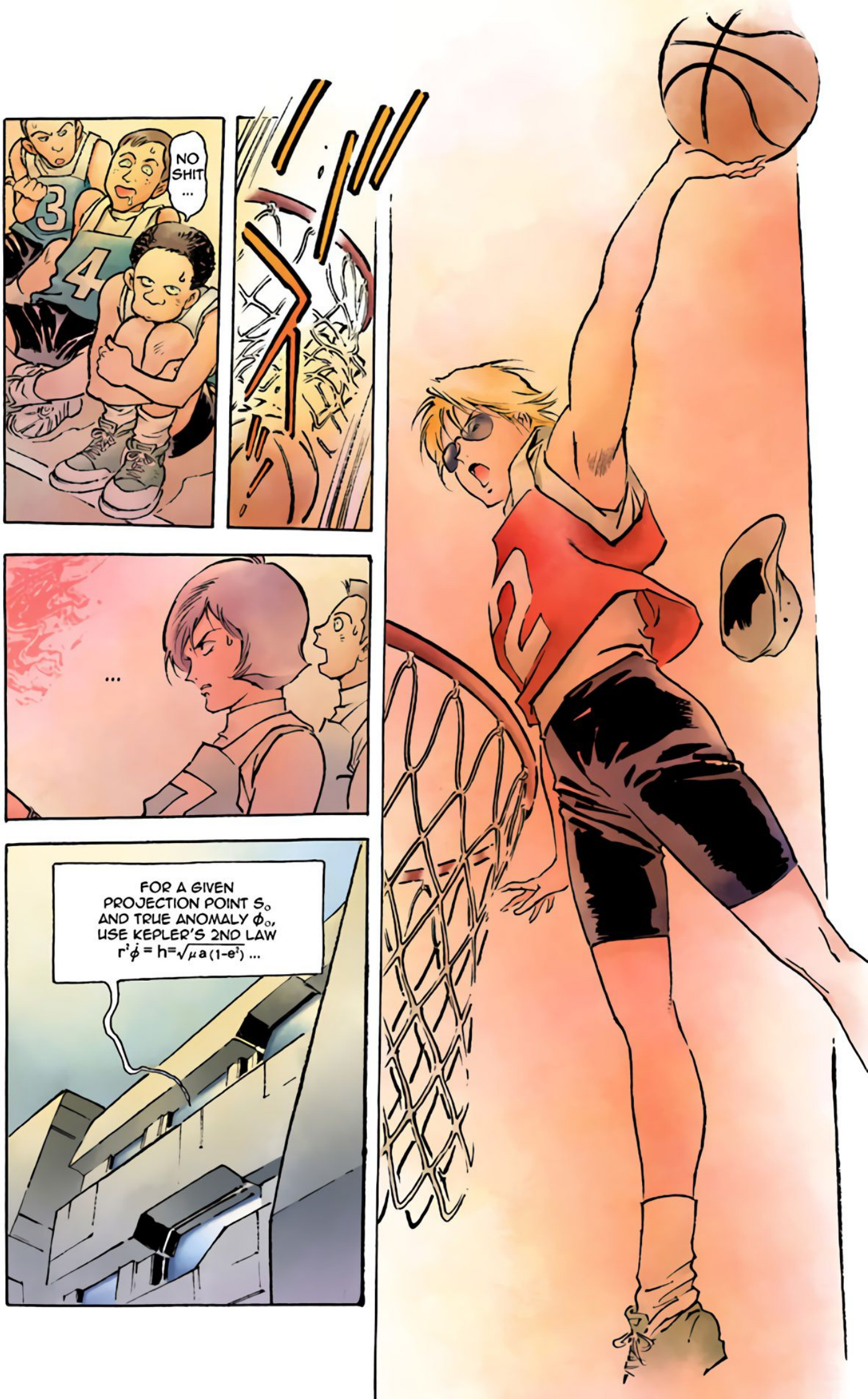
NO SHIT ...
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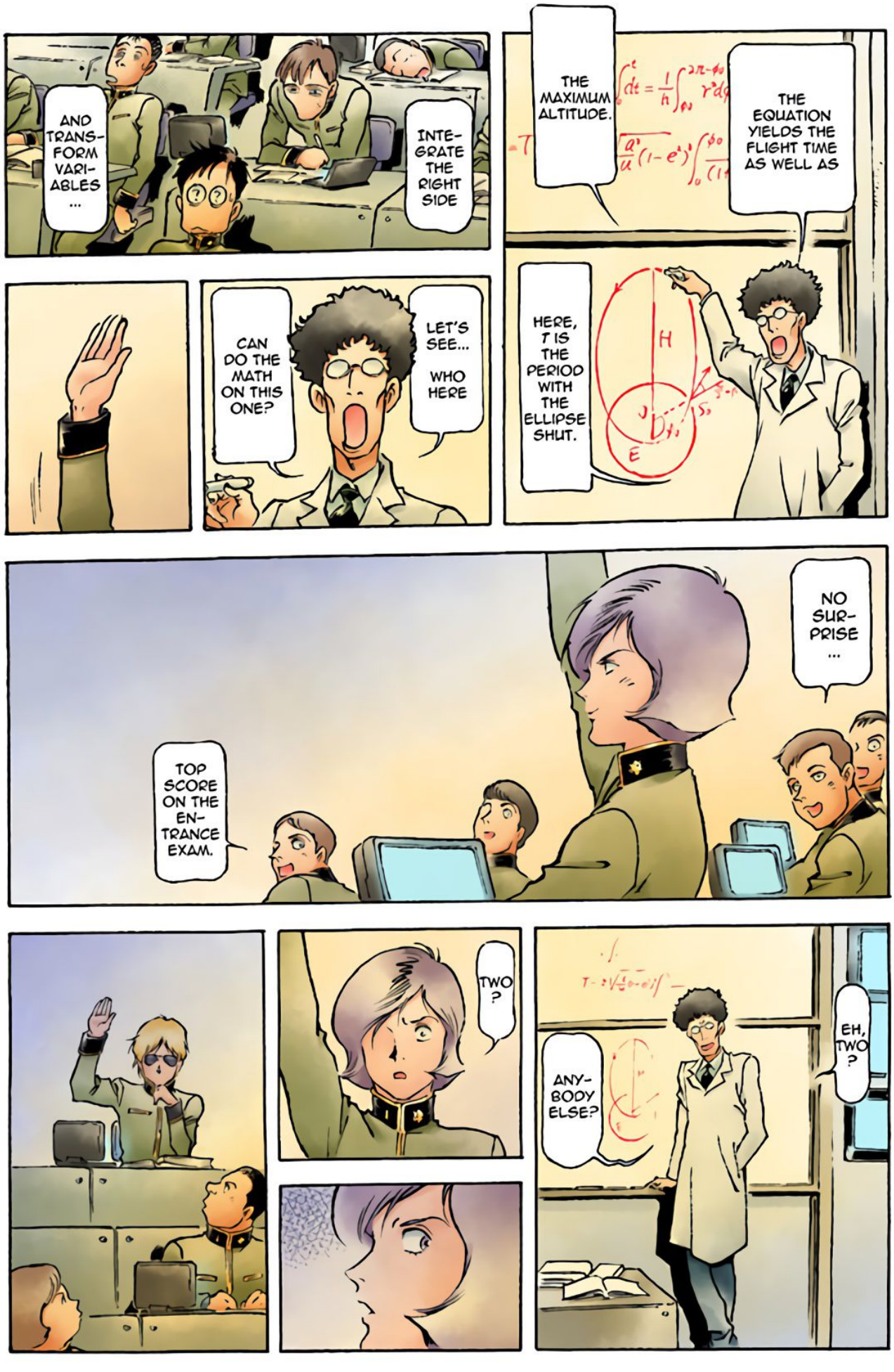
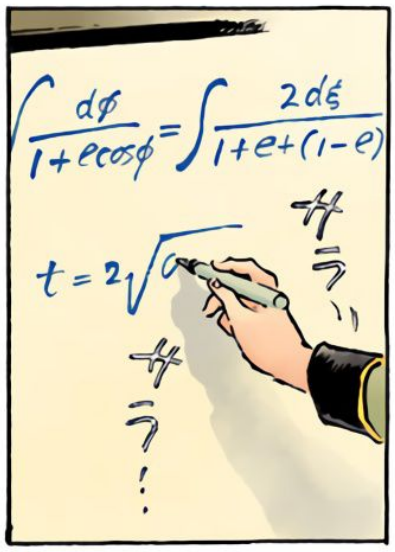
FOR A GIVEN PROJECTION POINT S_o AND TRUE ANOMALY ϕ_o, USE KEPLER'S 2ND LAW $r^2\dot{\phi} = h = \sqrt{\mu a(1-e^2)}$ ...


AND TRANS-FORM VARI-ABLES ...
INTE-GRATE THE RIGHT SIDE
THE MAXIMUM ALTITUDE.
THE EQUATION YIELDS THE FLIGHT TIME AS WELL AS
HERE, T IS THE PERIOD WITH THE ELLIPSE SHUT.
H
CAN DO THE MATH ON THIS ONE?
LET'S SEE... WHO HERE
NO SUR-PRISE ...
TOP SCORE ON THE EN-TRANCE EXAM.
TWO ?
ANY-BODY ELSE?
EH, TWO ?


$\int \frac{d\phi}{1+e\cos\phi} = \int \frac{2d\xi}{1+e+(1-e)}$
$t = 2\sqrt{a}$
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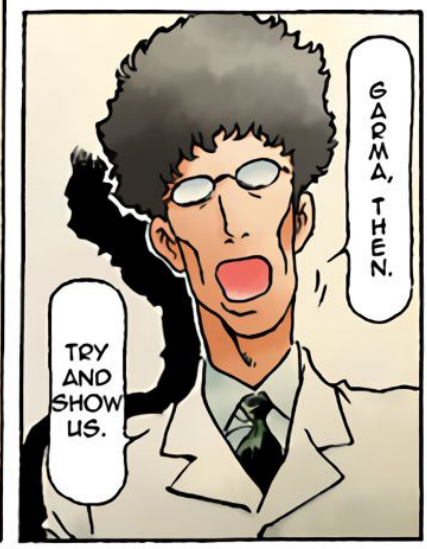
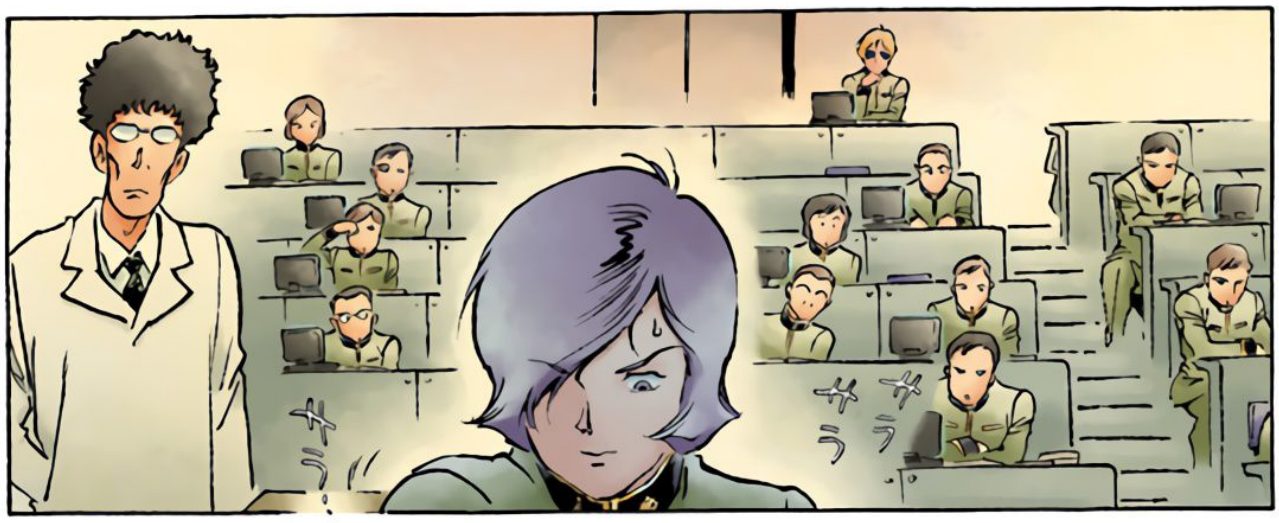

GARMA, THEN.
TRY AND SHOW US.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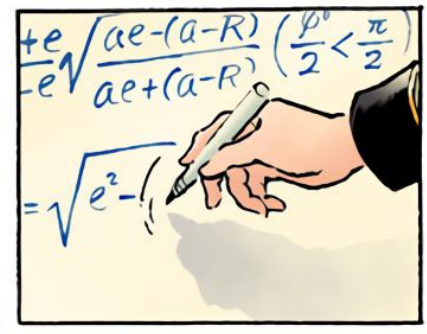
$(1-\frac{R}{a})^2$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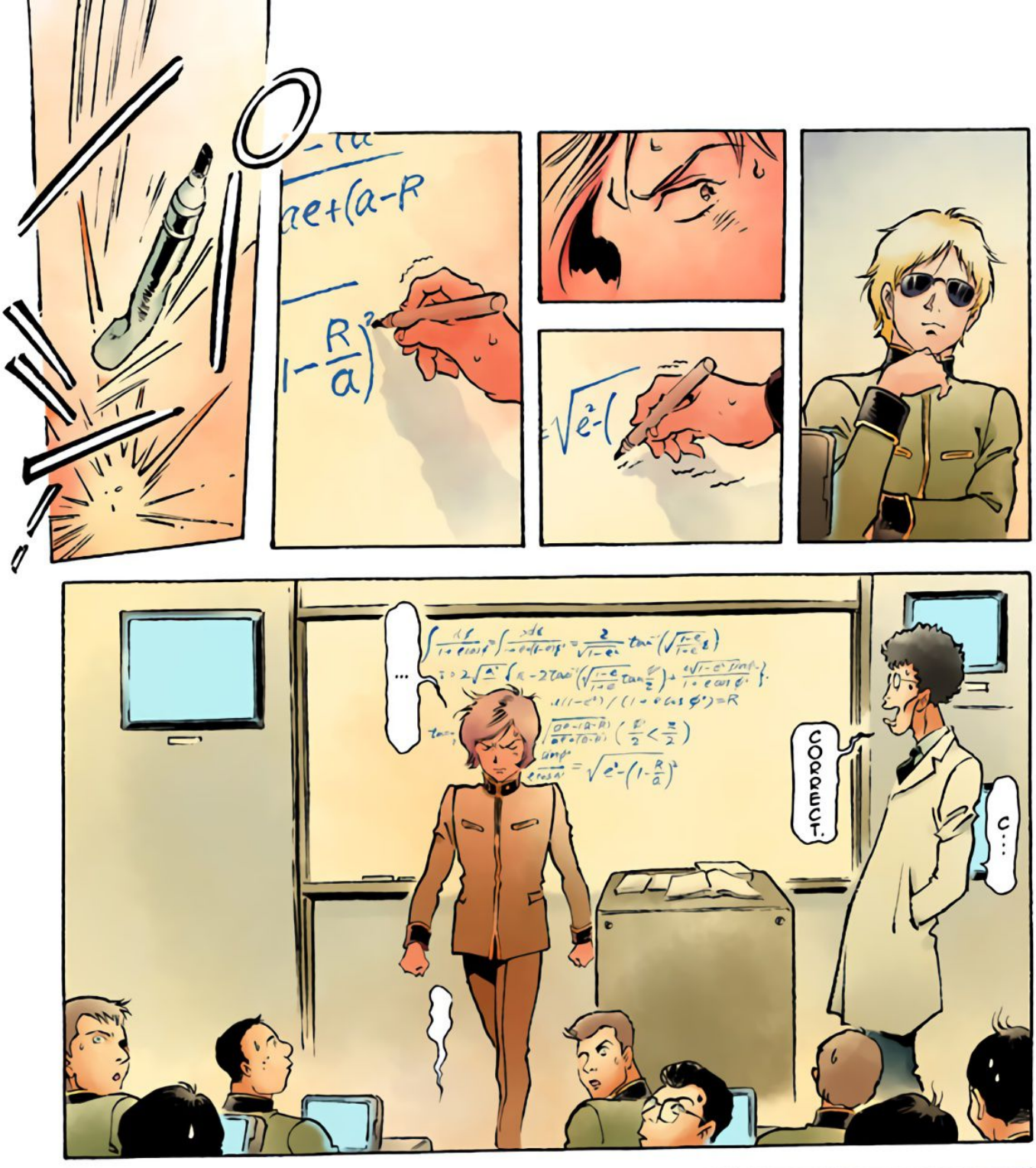
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CORRECT.
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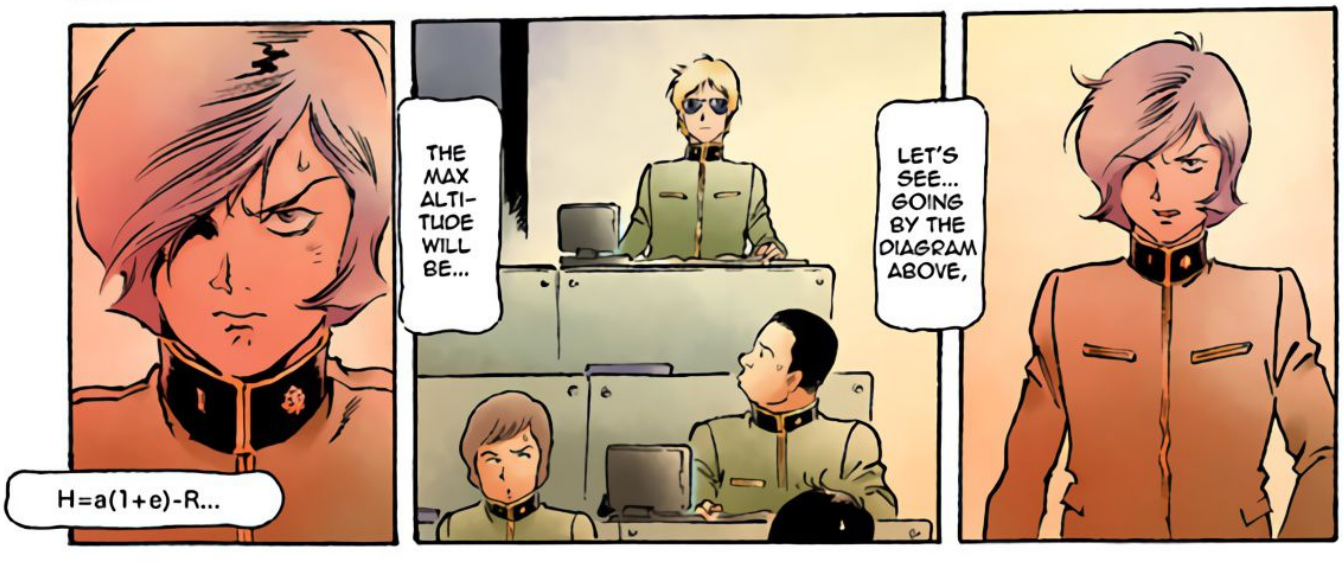
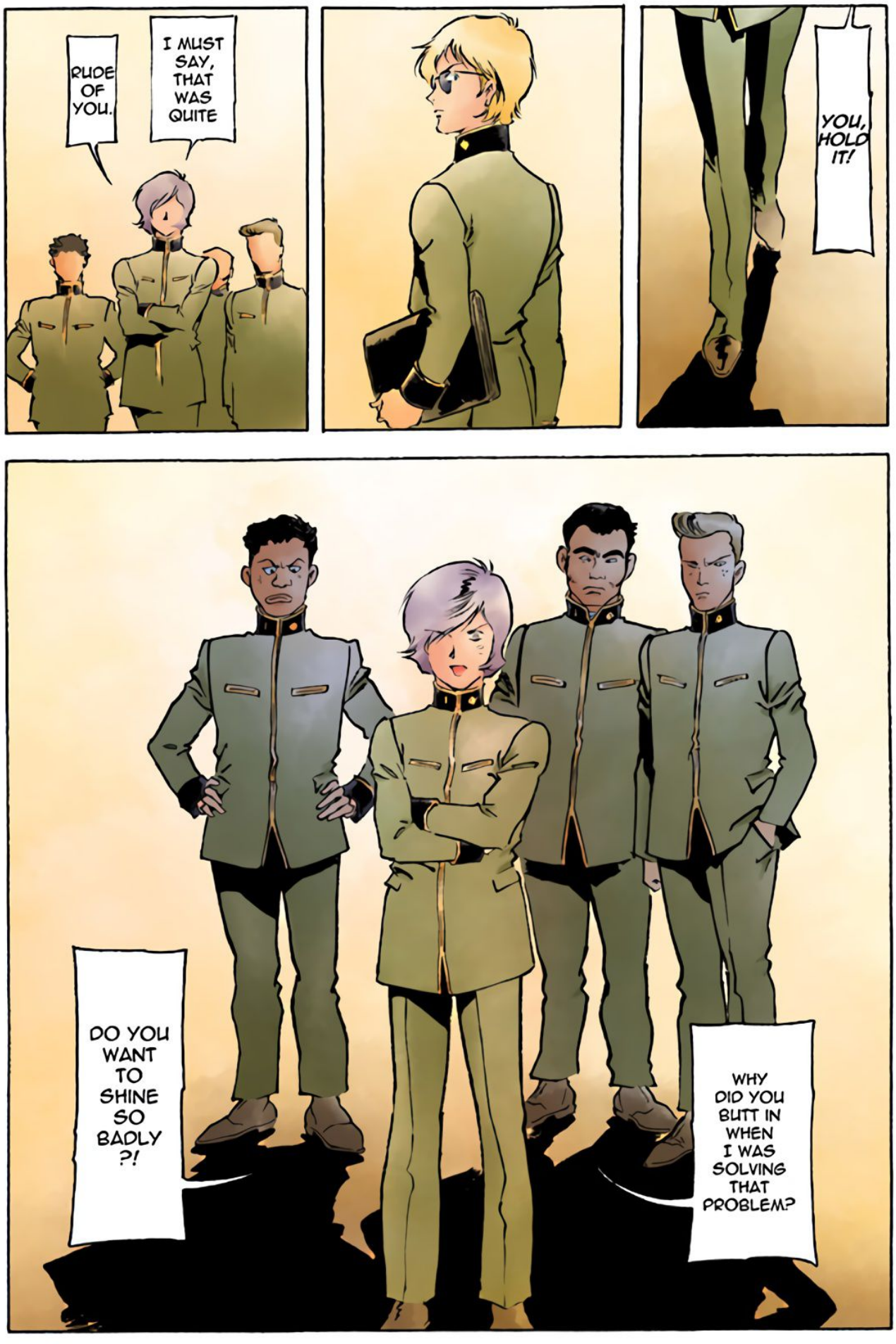
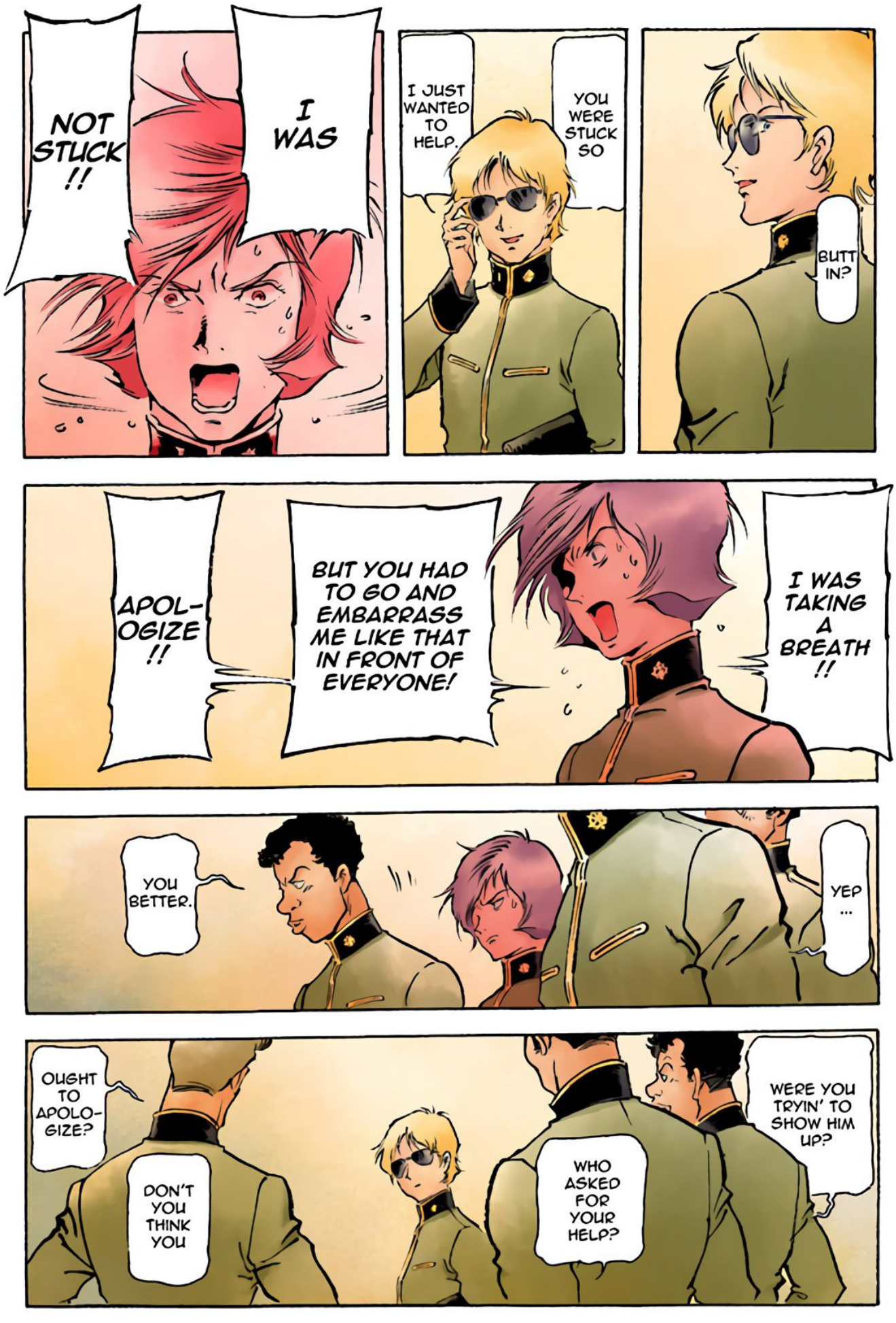
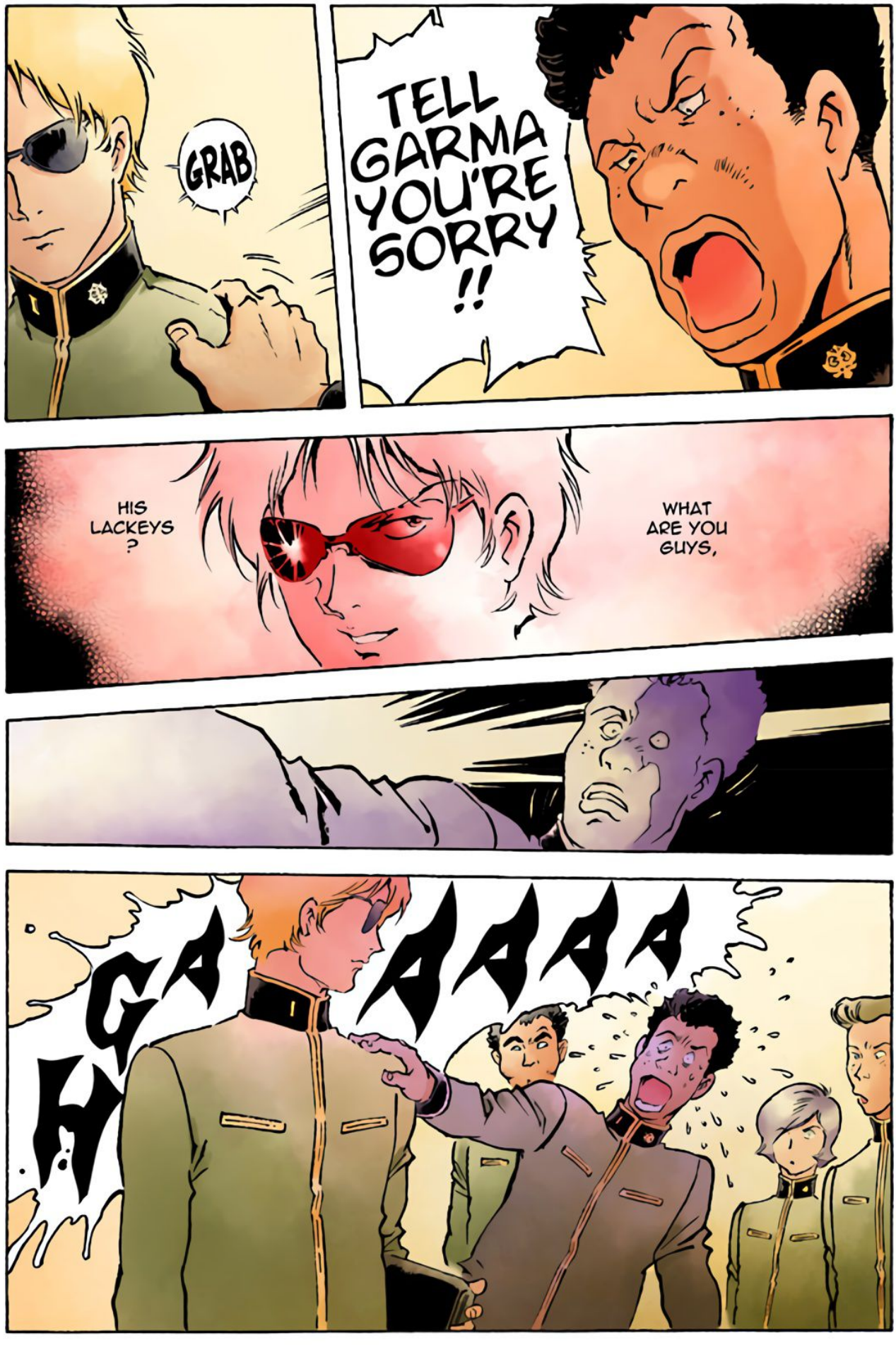

H=a(1+e)-R...
THE MAX ALTI-TUDE WILL BE...
LET'S SEE... GOING BY THE DIAGRAM ABOVE,


I MUST SAY, THAT WAS QUITE
RUDE OF YOU.
YOU, HOLD IT!
WHY DID YOU BUTT IN WHEN I WAS SOLVING THAT PROBLEM?
DO YOU WANT TO SHINE SO BADLY ?!


I WAS
NOT STUCK !!
YOU WERE STUCK SO
I JUST WANTED TO HELP.
BUTT IN?
I WAS TAKING A BREATH !!
BUT YOU HAD TO GO AND EMBARRASS ME LIKE THAT IN FRONT OF EVERYONE!
APOL-OGIZE !!
YEP ...
YOU BETTER.
WERE YOU TRYIN' TO SHOW HIM UP?
WHO ASKED FOR YOUR HELP?
DON'T YOU THINK YOU
OUGHT TO APOLO-GIZE?


GRAB
TELL GARMA YOU'RE SORRY !!
HIS LACKEYS ?
WHAT ARE YOU GUYS,
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AAAAA
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FOR-GIVE ME.
MY BAD ...
THEN I GUESS I REALLY WAS BEING A BUSYBODY.
I SEE ...
IF YOU WEREN'T STUCK,
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WAY TO GO.
TEN-POINT ZONE AGAIN.
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K-CHK

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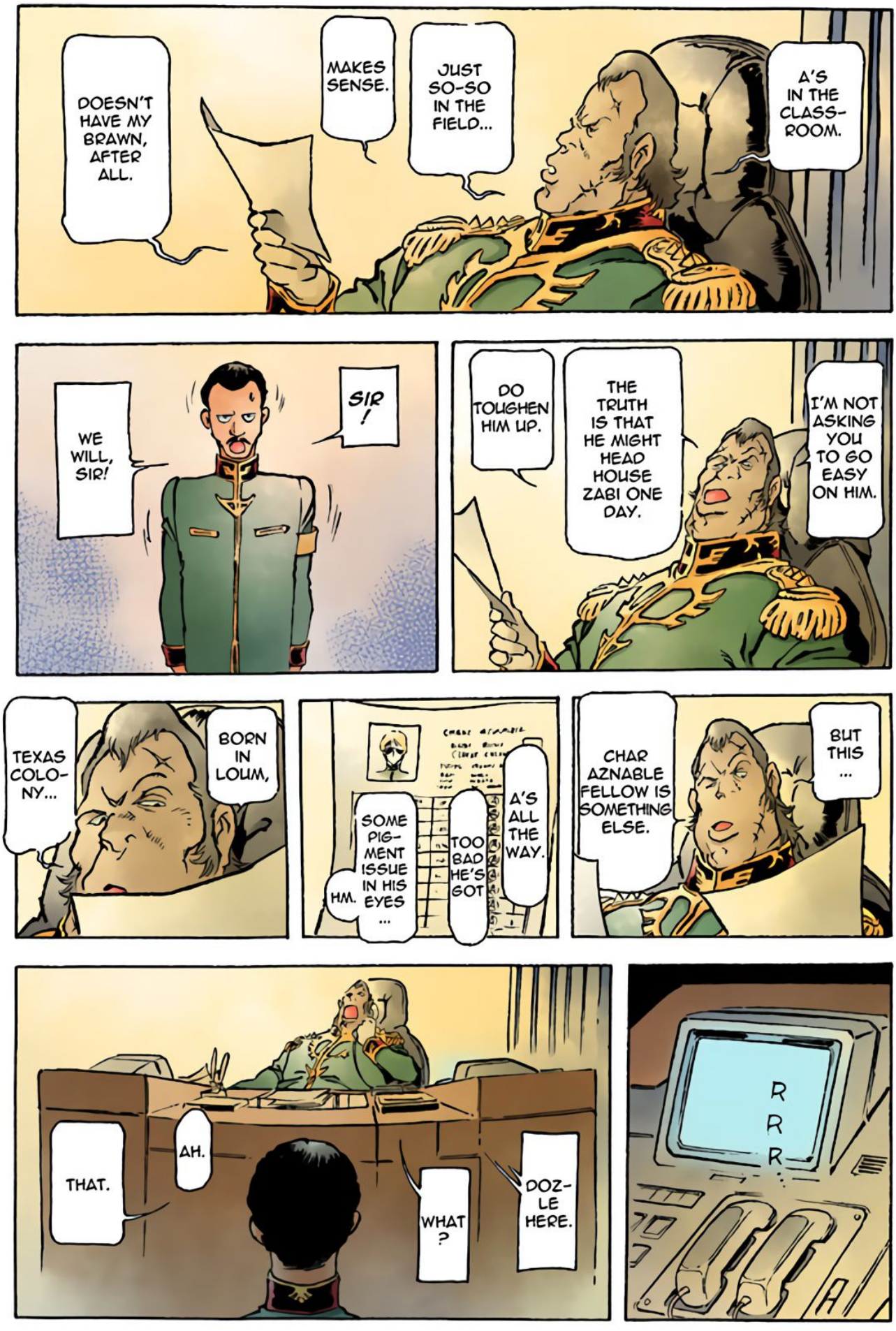
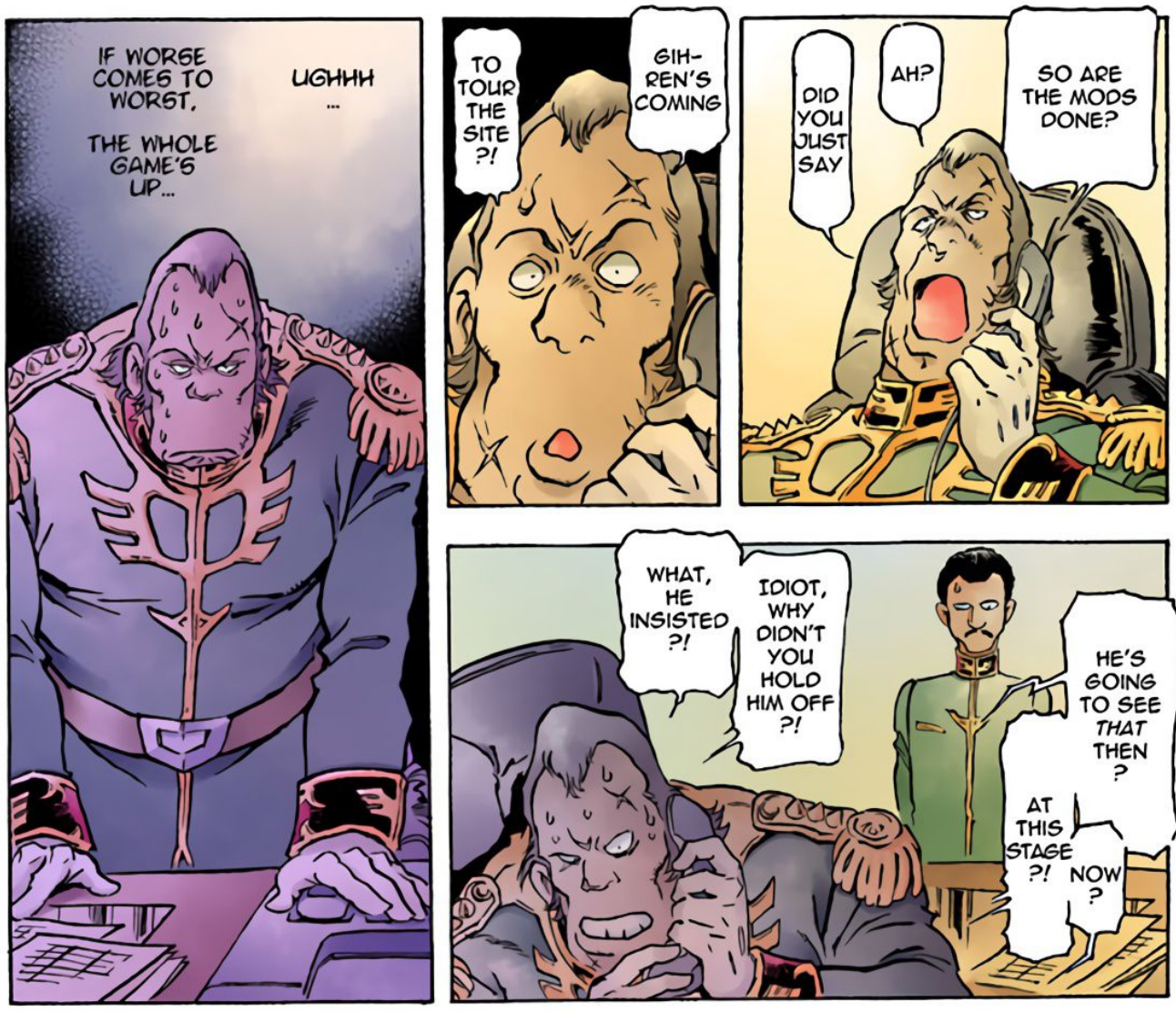
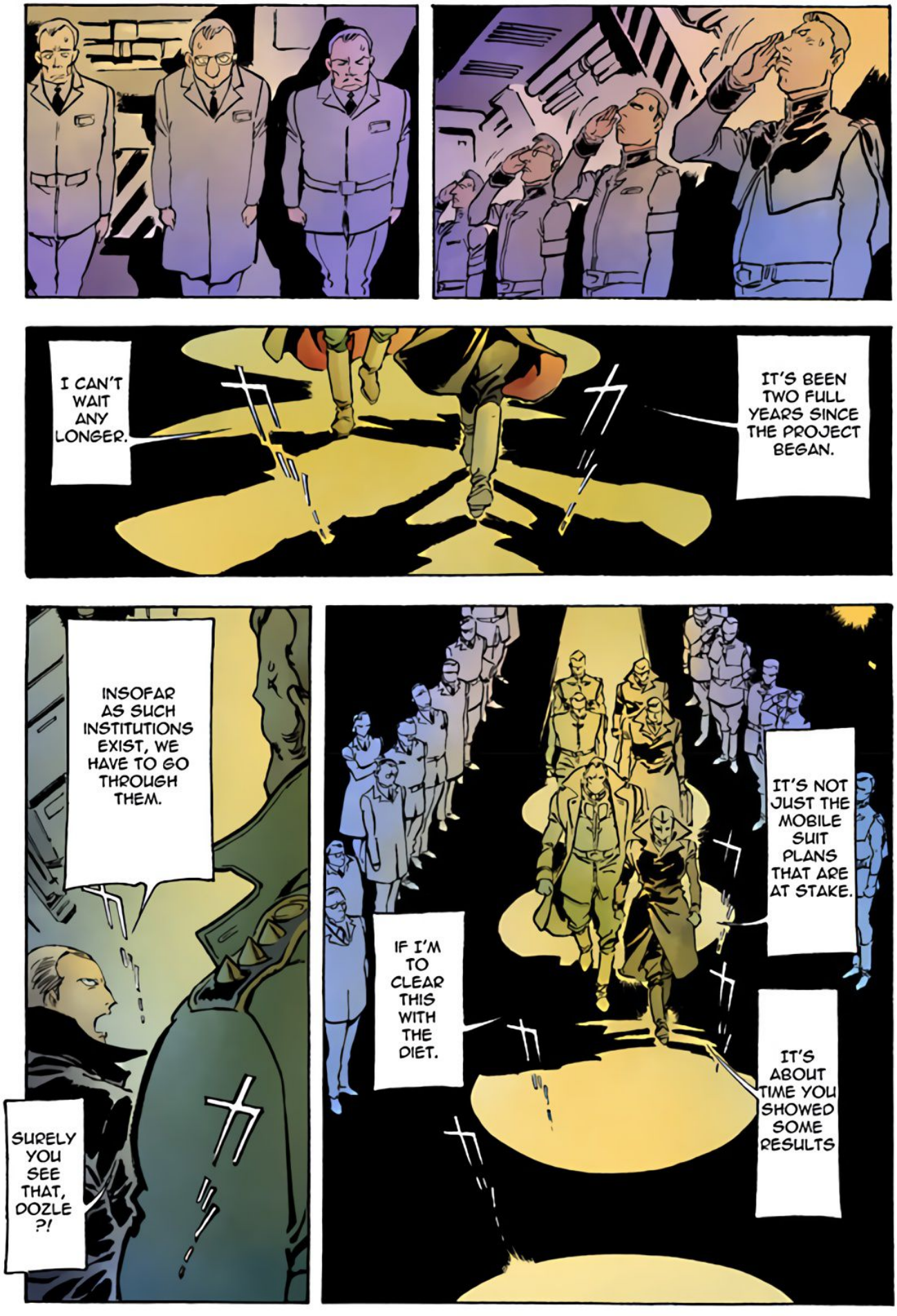
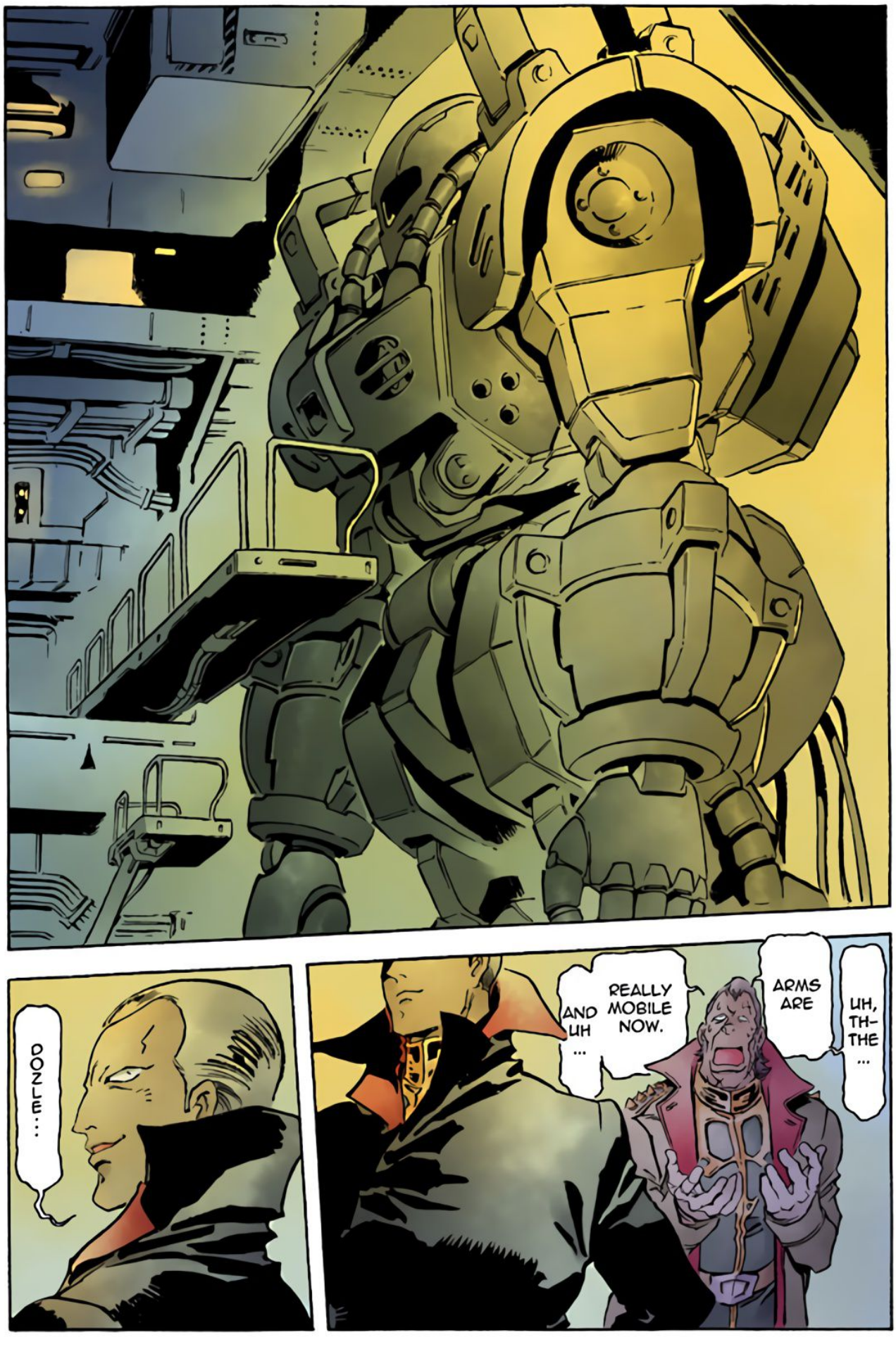
IF YOU KEEP LOOKING OVER AT ME.
YOU'LL RUN OUT OF TIME
SO THESE ARE GARMA'S GRADES, HUH?
HM-MM ...

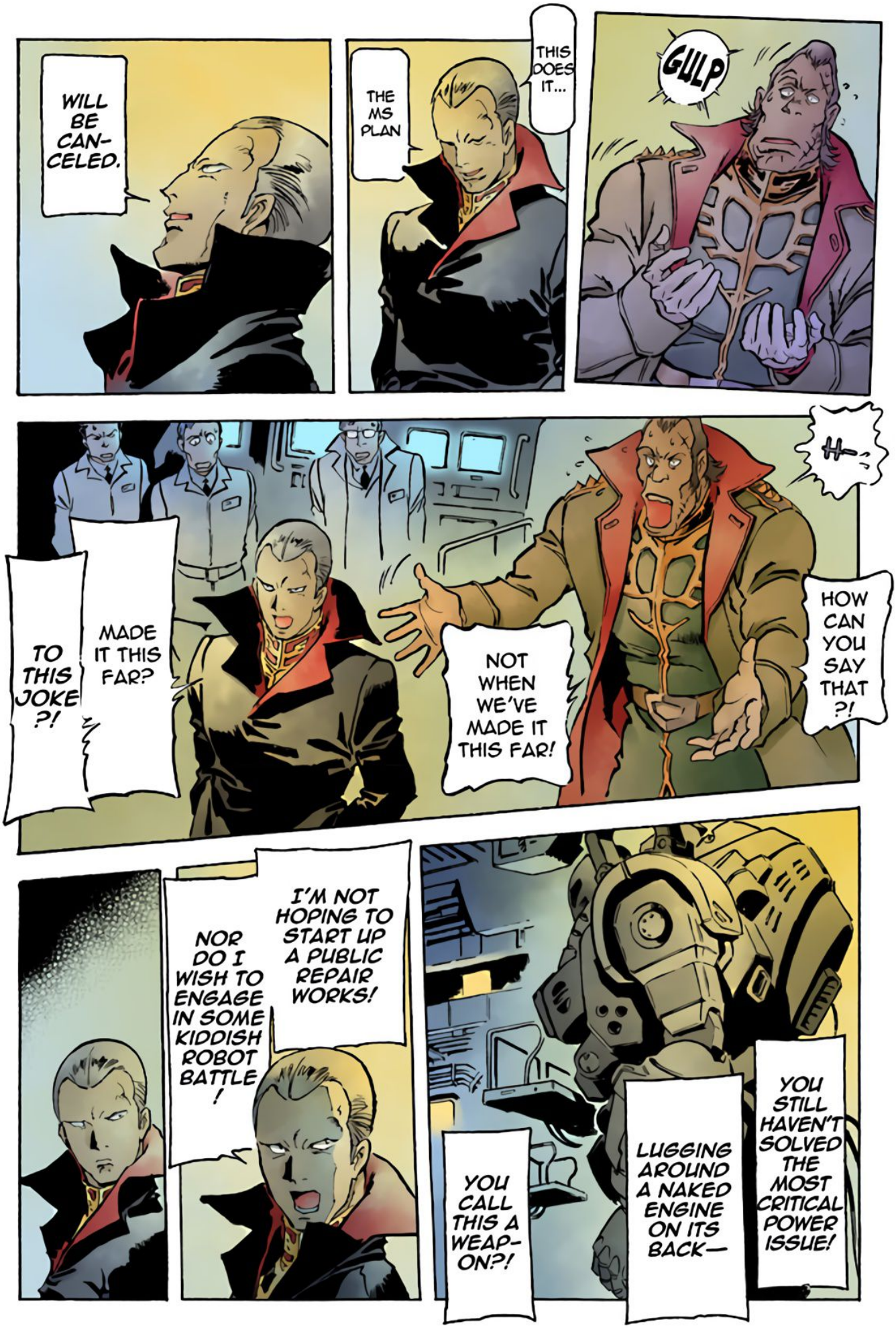

DOESN'T HAVE MY BRAWN, AFTER ALL.
MAKES SENSE.
JUST SO-SO IN THE FIELD...
A'S IN THE CLASS-ROOM.
WE WILL, SIR!
SIR!
DO TOUGHEN HIM UP.
THE TRUTH IS THAT HE MIGHT HEAD HOUSE ZABI ONE DAY.
I'M NOT ASKING YOU TO GO EASY ON HIM.
TEXAS COLO-NY...
BORN IN LOUM,
HM.
SOME PIG-MENT ISSUE IN HIS EYES ...
TOO BAD HE'S GOT
A'S ALL THE WAY.
CHAR AZNABLE FELLOW IS SOMETHING ELSE.
BUT THIS ...
THAT.
AH.
WHAT?
DOZ-LE HERE.
RRR

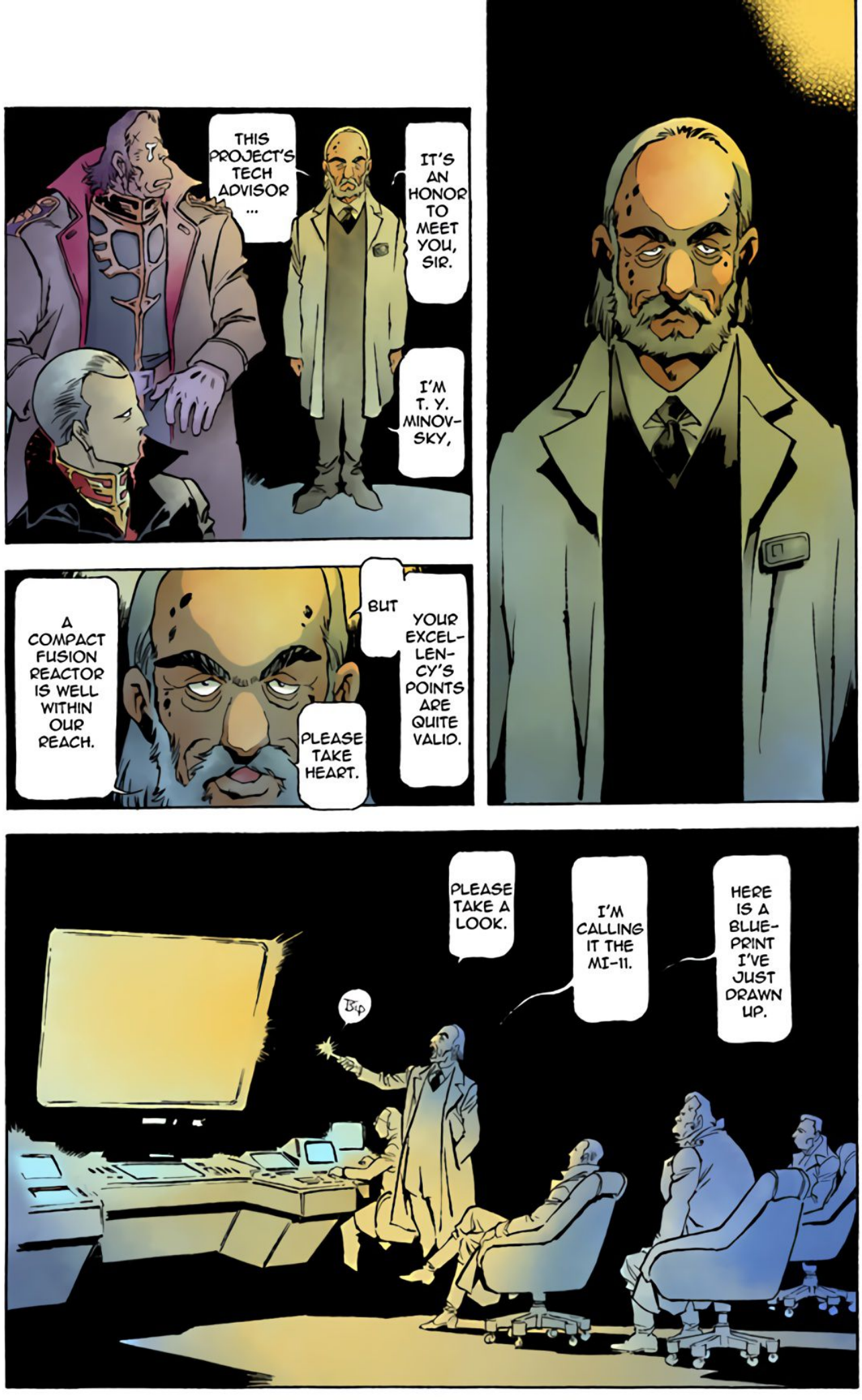

IF WORSE COMES TO WORST,
THE WHOLE GAME'S UP...
UGHHH ...
GIH-REN'S COMING
TO TOUR THE SITE ?!
SO ARE THE MODS DONE?
AH?
DID YOU JUST SAY
HE'S GOING TO SEE THAT THEN ?
NOW ?
AT THIS STAGE ?!
IDIOT, WHY DIDN'T YOU HOLD HIM OFF ?!
WHAT, HE INSISTED ?!

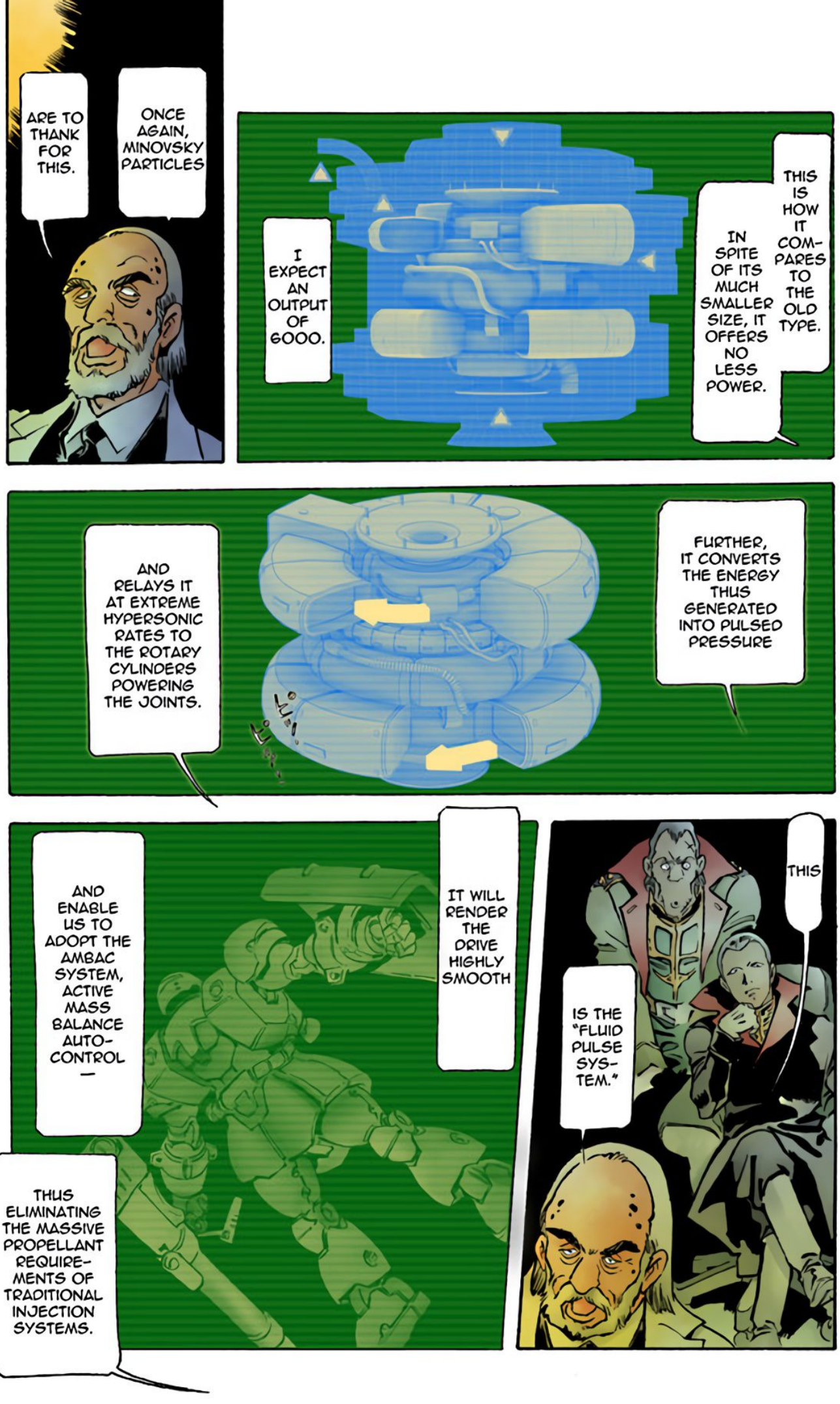

I CAN'T WAIT ANY LONGER.
IT'S BEEN TWO FULL YEARS SINCE THE PROJECT BEGAN.
INSOFAR AS SUCH INSTITUTIONS EXIST, WE HAVE TO GO THROUGH THEM.
SURELY YOU SEE THAT, DOZLE ?!
IF I'M TO CLEAR THIS WITH THE DIET.
IT'S NOT JUST THE MOBILE SUIT PLANS THAT ARE AT STAKE.
IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU SHOWED SOME RESULTS

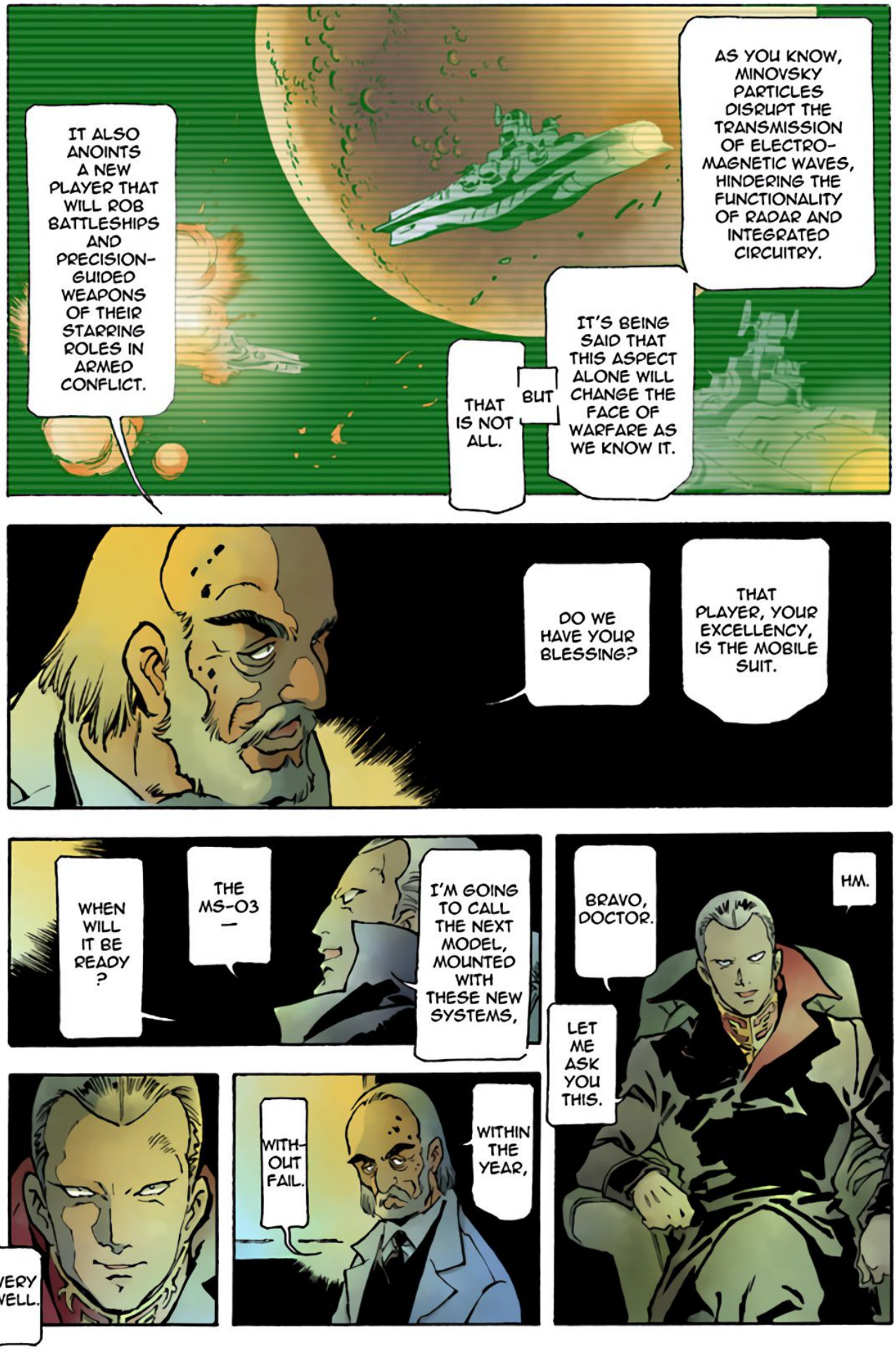
GIVEN THAT WE REMAIN A REPUBLIC BE IT ONLY IN NAME,
POLITICS DEMANDS PROCESS.
PRESSURES TO OPEN UP THE DARK COLONY FOR CIVILIAN USE CAN'T BE CONTAINED MUCH LONGER.
THE SAME GOES FOR ENSURING SECRECY.
DANG
THE BOTTLE-NECK IS SIZE AND WEIGHT.
ISN'T THAT THE CASE?
YOU GOT IT.
THE MULTI-USE MODELS ARE HEAVIER.
TO DEAL WITH THAT, WE NEED A
VIABLE, FIELD-READY
SUPER-COM-PACT FUSION REAC-TOR, BUT...
THAT'S WHERE YOU'RE STUCK
?
SAD TO SAY ...
BUT!
WITH MINOVSKY PARTICLES, WE'LL BE ABLE TO OVERCOME THAT ISSUE ...
•SNICKER•
SO THIS IS... IT?
... AH HA.
...
SPARE ME THE THEO-RIES.
GIVE ME RES—

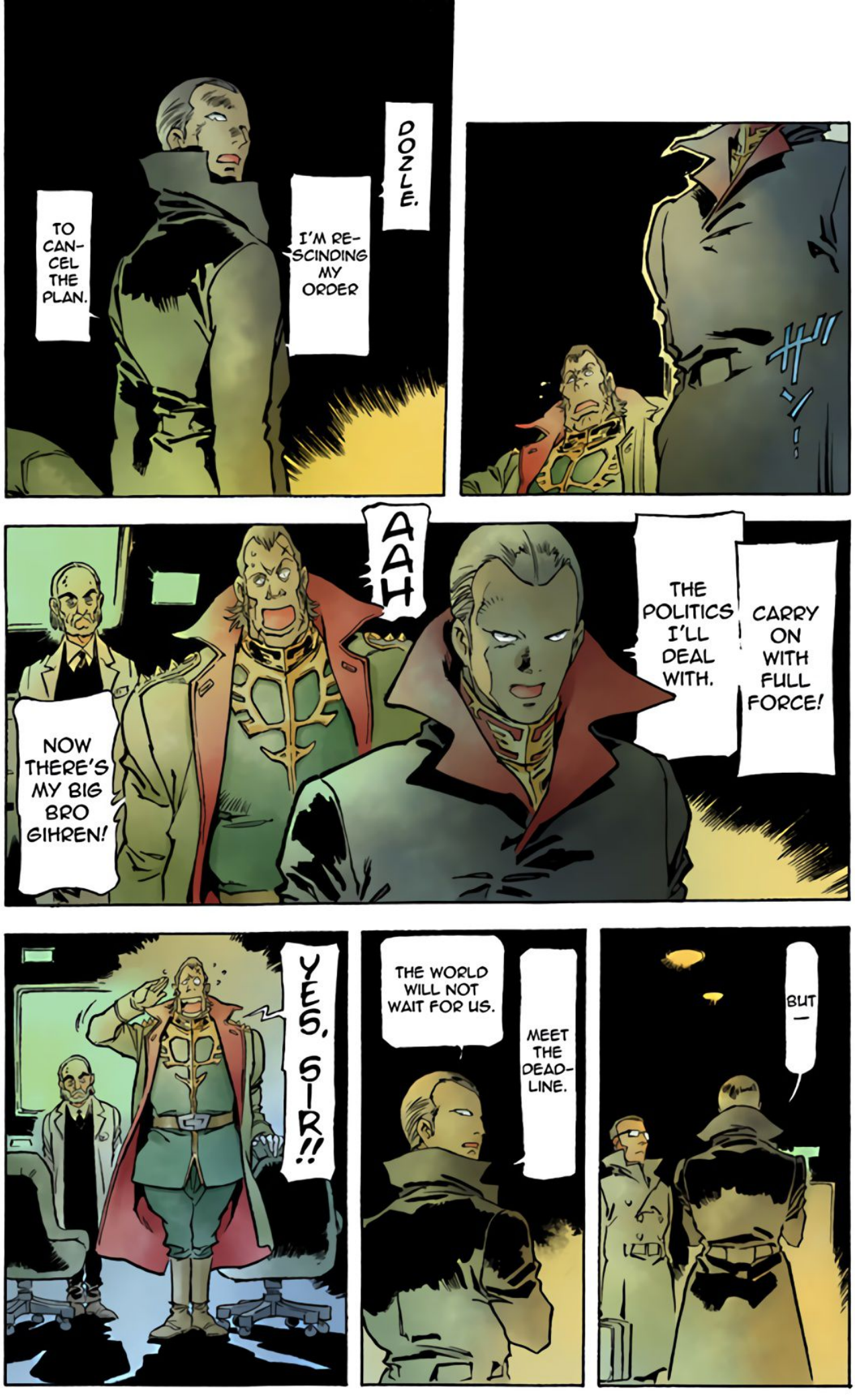

DOZLE...
UH, TH-THE ...
ARMS ARE
REALLY MOBILE NOW.
AND UH ...

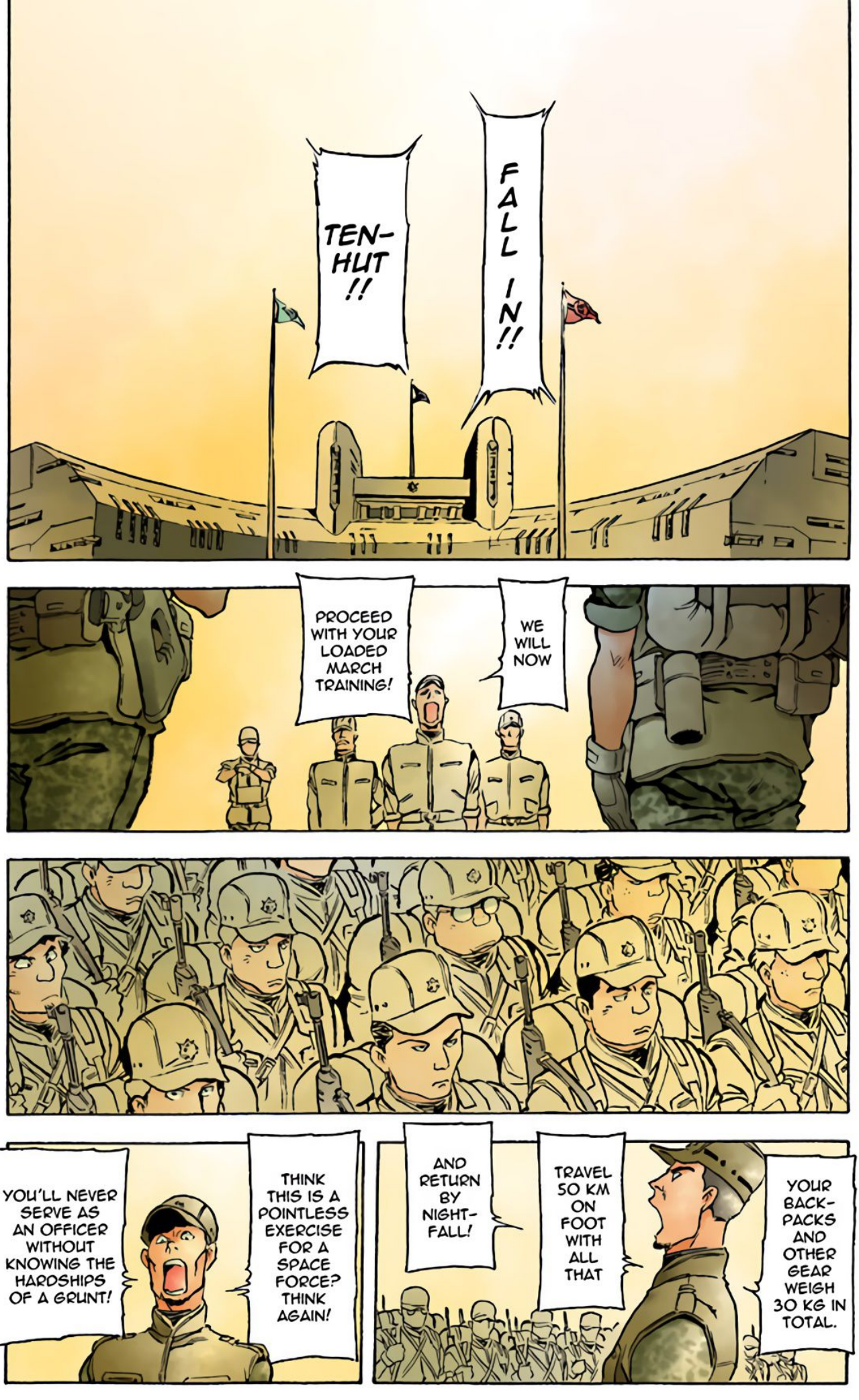

WILL BE CAN-CELED.
THE MS PLAN
THIS DOES IT...
GULP
TO THIS JOKE?!
MADE IT THIS FAR?
NOT WHEN WE'VE MADE IT THIS FAR!
H—?
HOW CAN YOU SAY THAT?!
NOR DO I WISH TO ENGAGE IN SOME KIDDISH ROBOT BATTLE!
I'M NOT HOPING TO START UP A PUBLIC REPAIR WORKS!
YOU CALL THIS A WEAP-ON?!
LUGGING AROUND A NAKED ENGINE ON ITS BACK—
YOU STILL HAVEN'T SOLVED THE MOST CRITICAL POWER ISSUE!

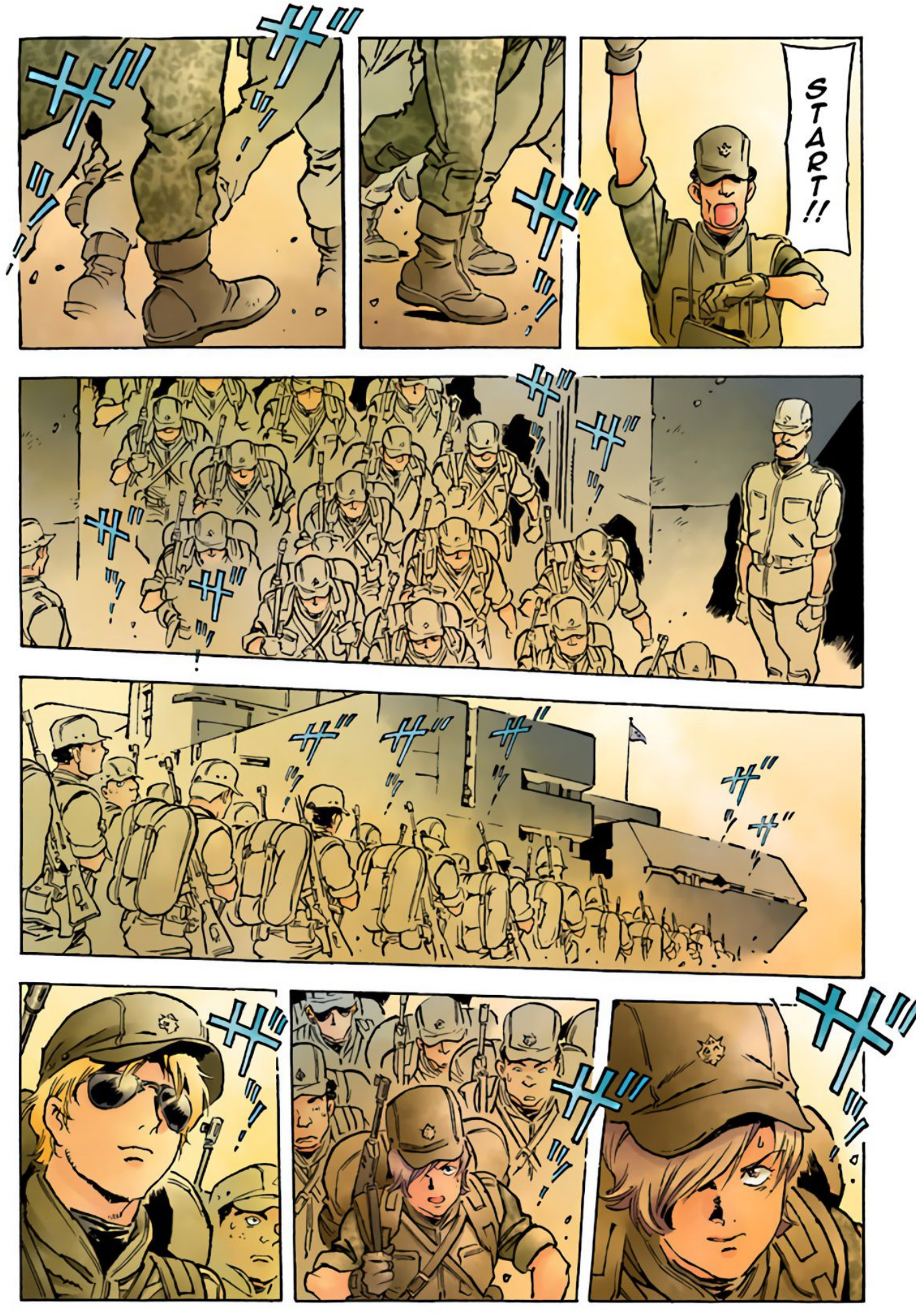

THIS PROJECT'S TECH ADVISOR ...
IT'S AN HONOR TO MEET YOU, SIR.
I'M T. Y. MINOV-SKY,
A COMPACT FUSION REACTOR IS WELL WITHIN OUR REACH.
BUT YOUR EXCEL-LEN-CY'S POINTS ARE QUITE VALID.
PLEASE TAKE HEART.
PLEASE TAKE A LOOK.
I'M CALLING IT THE MI-11.
HERE IS A BLUE-PRINT I'VE JUST DRAWN UP.
Bip

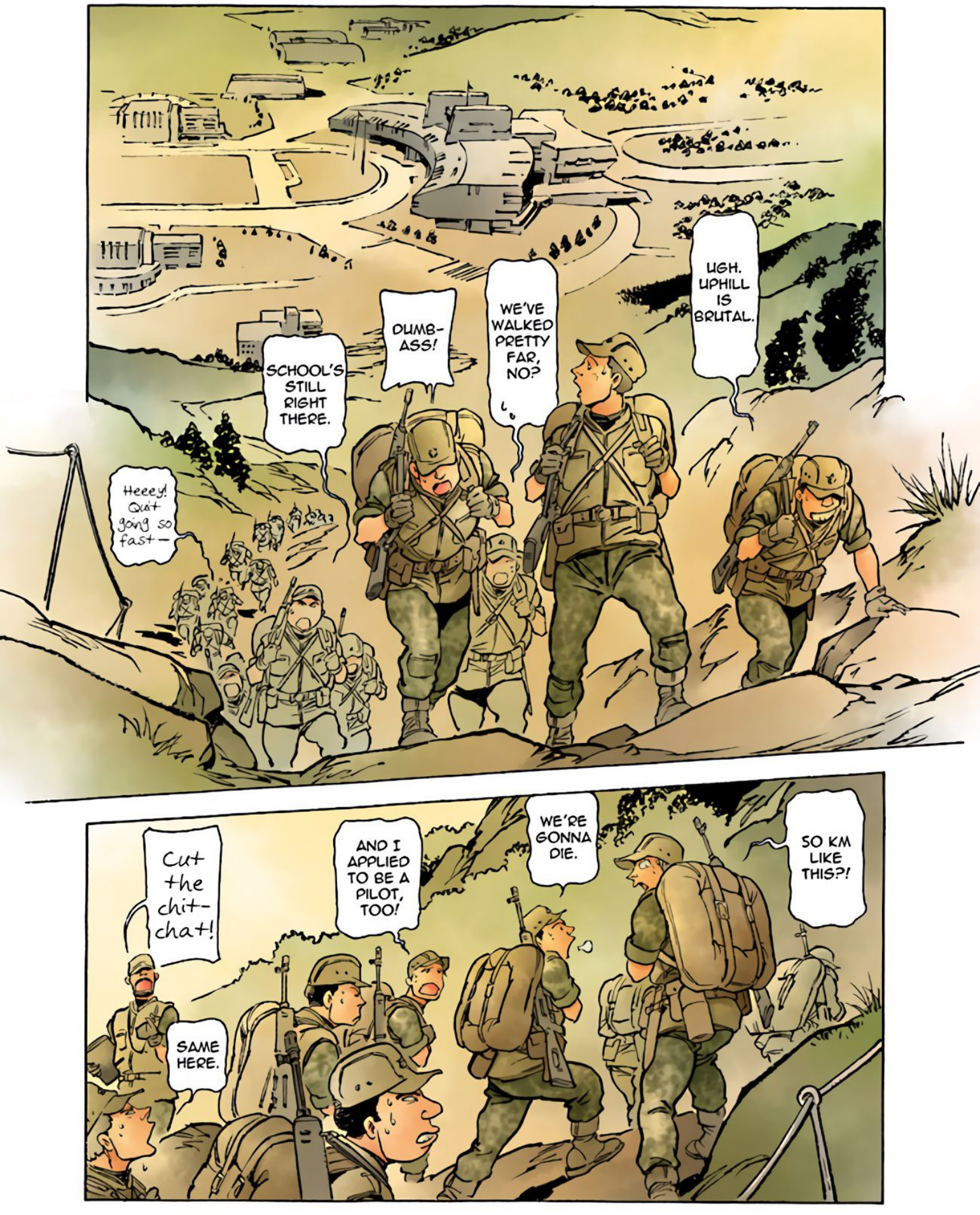

ONCE AGAIN, MINOVSKY PARTICLES
ARE TO THANK FOR THIS.
I EXPECT AN OUTPUT OF 6000.
IN SPITE OF ITS MUCH SMALLER SIZE, IT OFFERS NO LESS POWER.
THIS IS HOW IT COM-PARES TO THE OLD TYPE.
AND RELAYS IT AT EXTREME HYPERSONIC RATES TO THE ROTARY CYLINDERS POWERING THE JOINTS.
FURTHER, IT CONVERTS THE ENERGY THUS GENERATED INTO PULSED PRESSURE
AND ENABLE US TO ADOPT THE AMBAC SYSTEM, ACTIVE MASS BALANCE AUTO-CONTROL —
IT WILL RENDER THE DRIVE HIGHLY SMOOTH
THUS ELIMINATING THE MASSIVE PROPELLANT REQUIRE-MENTS OF TRADITIONAL INJECTION SYSTEMS.
THIS IS THE "FLUID PULSE SYS-TEM."


AS YOU KNOW, MINOVSKY PARTICLES DISRUPT THE TRANSMISSION OF ELECTRO-MAGNETIC WAVES, HINDERING THE FUNCTIONALITY OF RADAR AND INTEGRATED CIRCUITRY.
IT'S BEING SAID THAT THIS ASPECT ALONE WILL CHANGE THE FACE OF WARFARE AS WE KNOW IT.
BUT
THAT IS NOT ALL.
IT ALSO ANOINTS A NEW PLAYER THAT WILL ROB BATTLESHIPS AND PRECISION-GUIDED WEAPONS OF THEIR STARRING ROLES IN ARMED CONFLICT.
THAT PLAYER, YOUR EXCELLENCY, IS THE MOBILE SUIT.
DO WE HAVE YOUR BLESSING?
HM.
BRAVO, DOCTOR.
LET ME ASK YOU THIS.
I'M GOING TO CALL THE NEXT MODEL, MOUNTED WITH THESE NEW SYSTEMS,
THE MS-03 —
WHEN WILL IT BE READY?
WITHIN THE YEAR,
WITH-OUT FAIL.
VERY WELL.

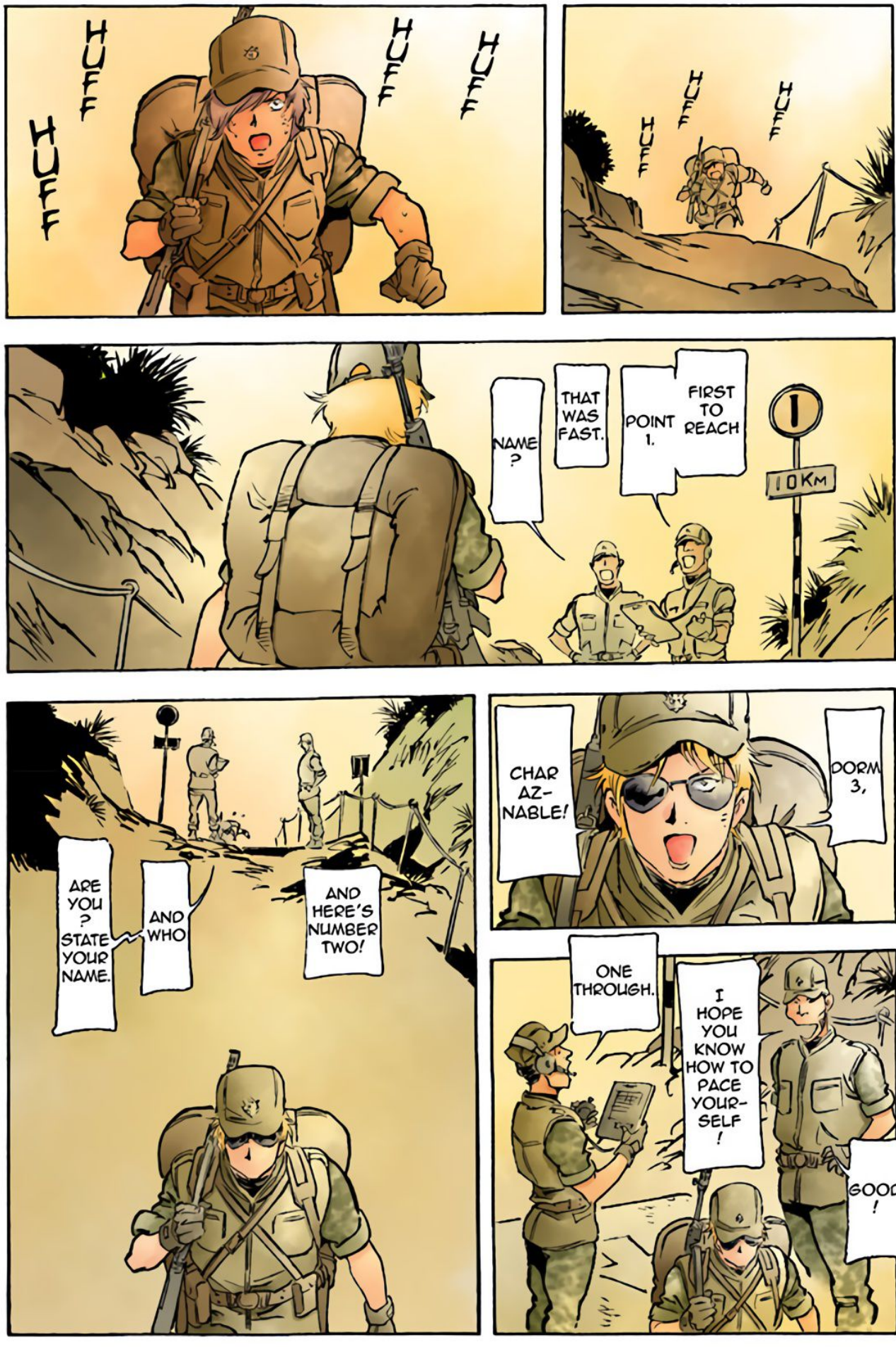

DOZLE.
I'M RE-SCINDING MY ORDER
TO CAN-CEL THE PLAN.
ザン!!
AAH
THE POLITICS I'LL DEAL WITH.
CARRY ON WITH FULL FORCE!
NOW THERE'S MY BIG BRO GIHREN!
YES, SIR!!
THE WORLD WILL NOT WAIT FOR US.
MEET THE DEAD-LINE.
BUT —


FALL IN!!
TEN-HUT!!
PROCEED WITH YOUR LOADED MARCH TRAINING!
WE WILL NOW
YOU'LL NEVER SERVE AS AN OFFICER WITHOUT KNOWING THE HARDSHIPS OF A GRUNT!
THINK THIS IS A POINTLESS EXERCISE FOR A SPACE FORCE? THINK AGAIN!
AND RETURN BY NIGHT-FALL!
TRAVEL 50 KM ON FOOT WITH ALL THAT
YOUR BACK-PACKS AND OTHER GEAR WEIGH 30 KG IN TOTAL.


START!!


Heeey! Quit going so fast—
SCHOOL'S STILL RIGHT THERE.
DUMB-ASS!
WE'VE WALKED PRETTY FAR, NO?
UGH. UPHILL IS BRUTAL.
Cut the chit-chat!
SAME HERE.
AND I APPLIED TO BE A PILOT, TOO!
WE'RE GONNA DIE.
SO KM LIKE THIS?!

WHOA, LOOK HOW FAR AHEAD THAT GUY IS.
F
FAST...
Who the hell is that?!
KEEP FLAPPIN' YOUR MOUTHS AND YOU'LL JUST BE OUTTA BREATH, BOYS!
Field


HUFF
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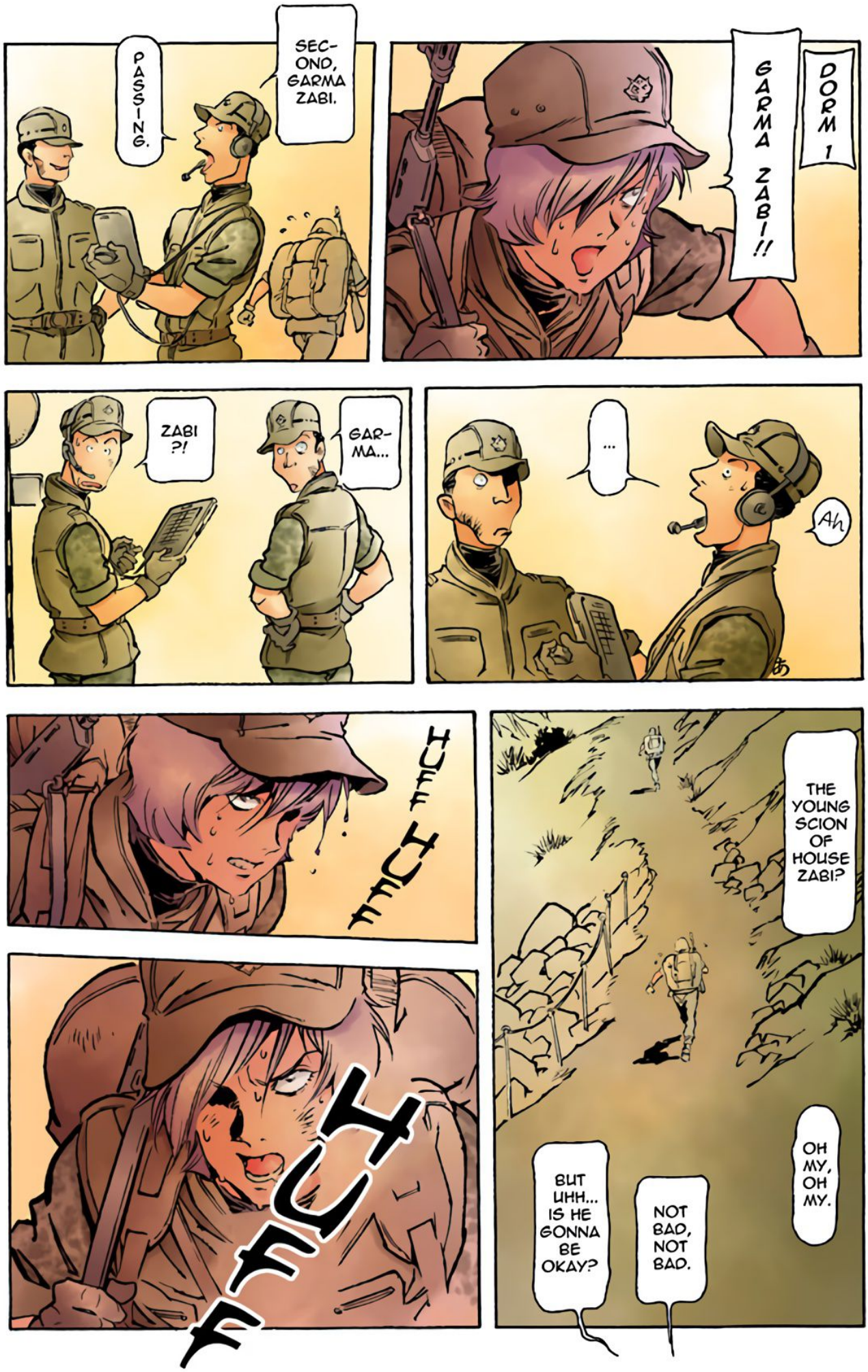
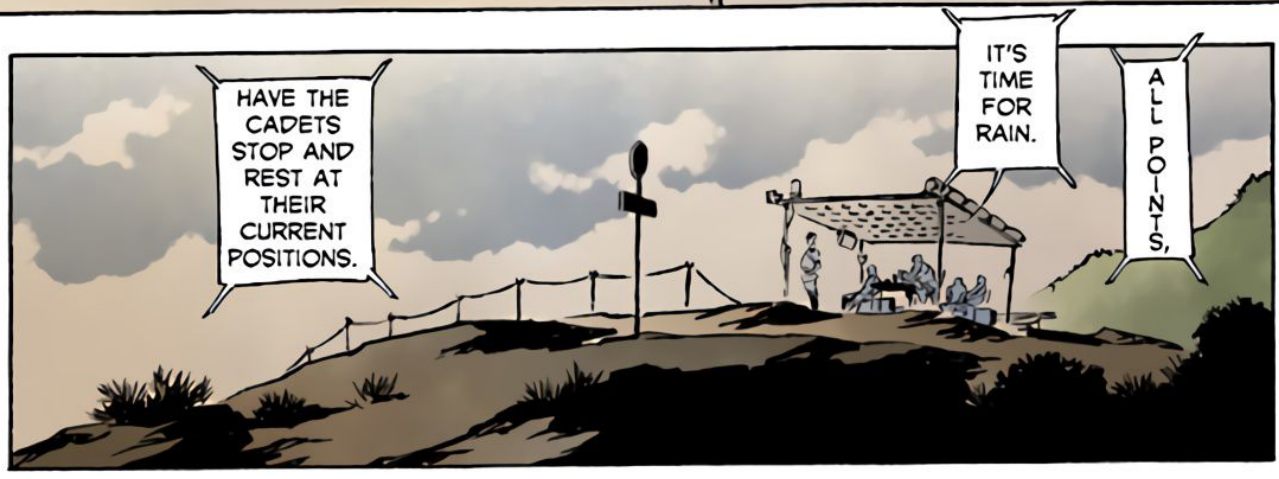
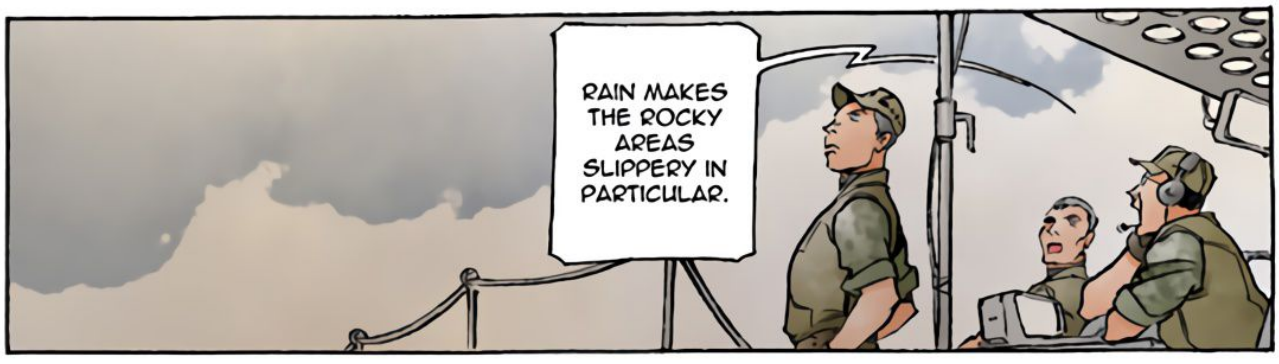
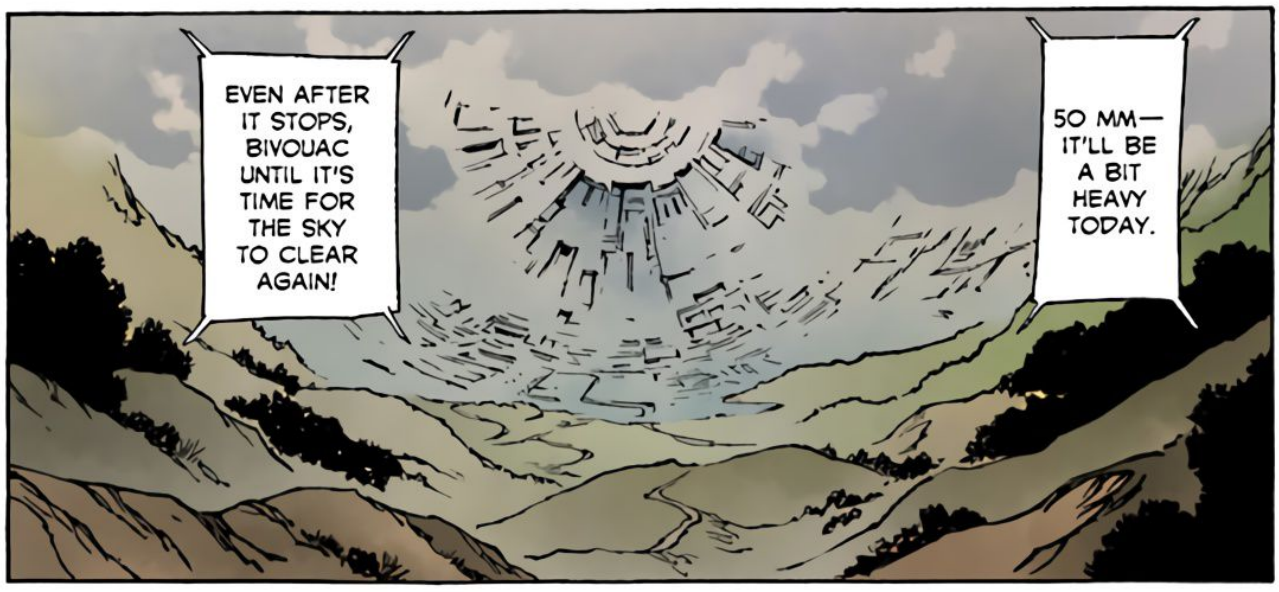
NAME ?
THAT WAS FAST.
FIRST TO REACH POINT 1.
10Km
CHAR AZ-NABLE!
DORM 3,
ARE YOU ? STATE YOUR NAME.
AND WHO
AND HERE'S NUMBER TWO!
ONE THROUGH.
I HOPE YOU KNOW HOW TO PACE YOUR-SELF !
GOOD !

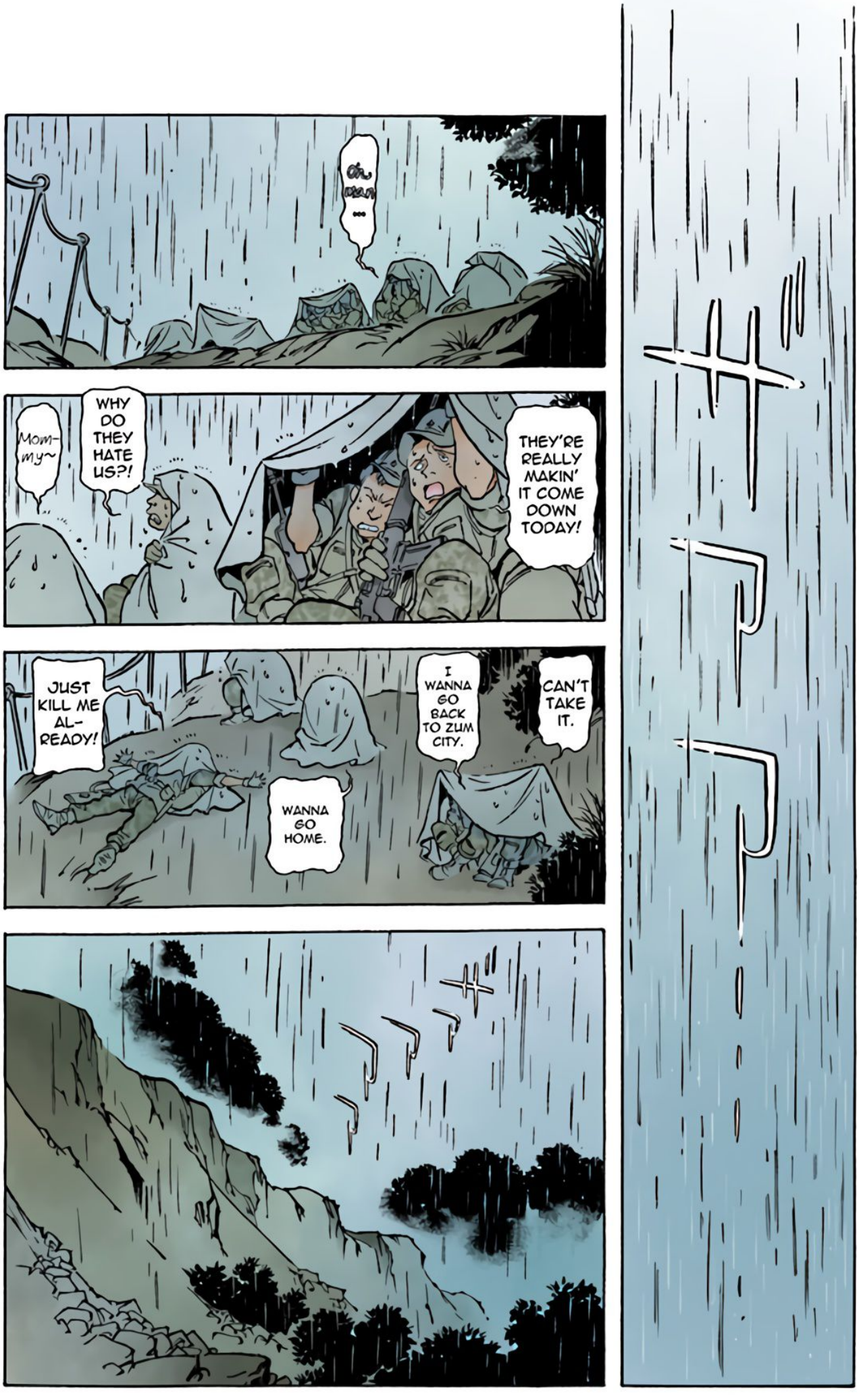

DORM 1
GARMA ZABI!!
SEC-OND, GARMA ZABI.
PASSING.
...
Ah.
GAR-MA...
ZABI ?!
THE YOUNG SCION OF HOUSE ZABI?
OH MY, OH MY.
NOT BAD, NOT BAD.
BUT UHH... IS HE GONNA BE OKAY?
HUFF HUFF
HUFF

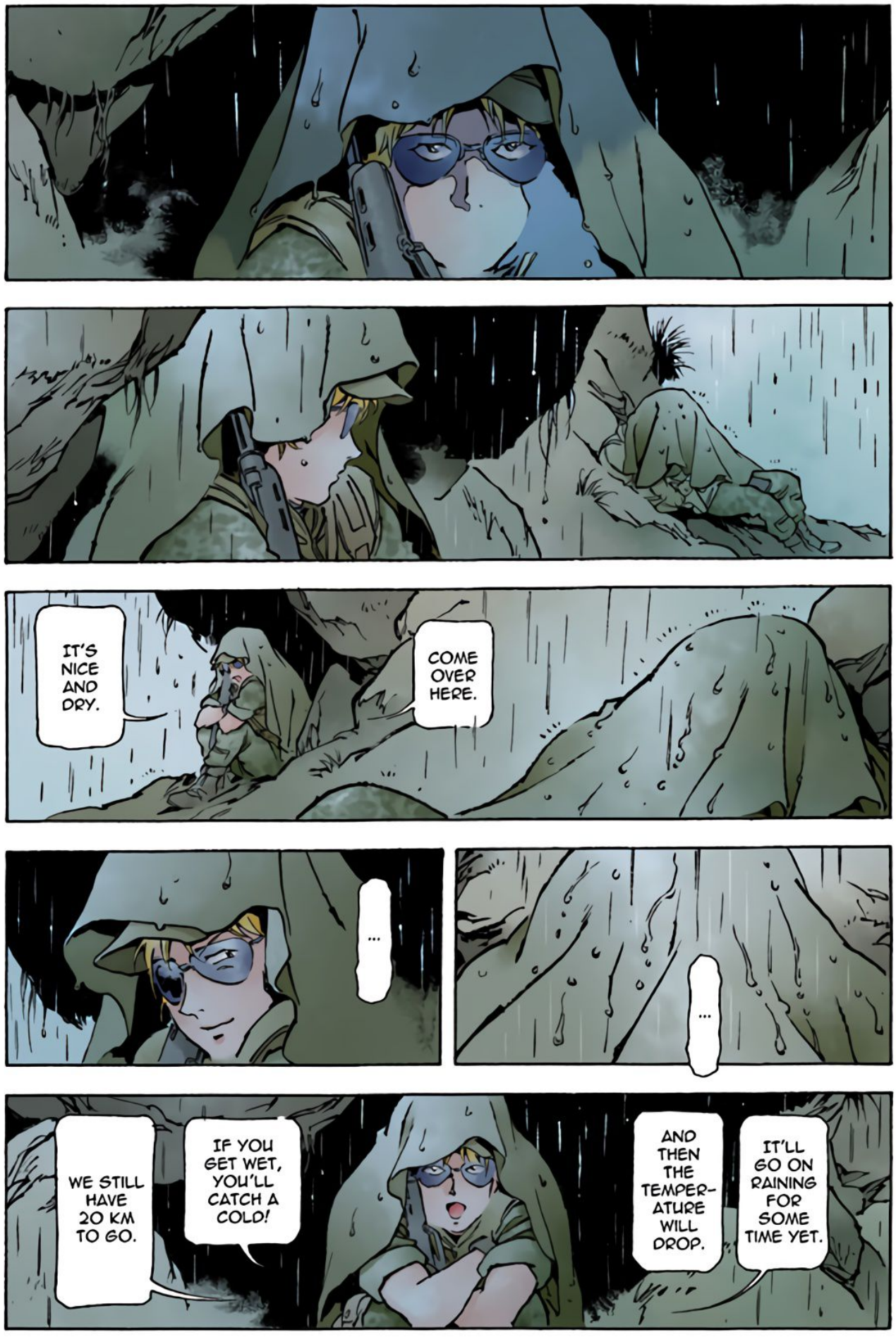
3
30 Km

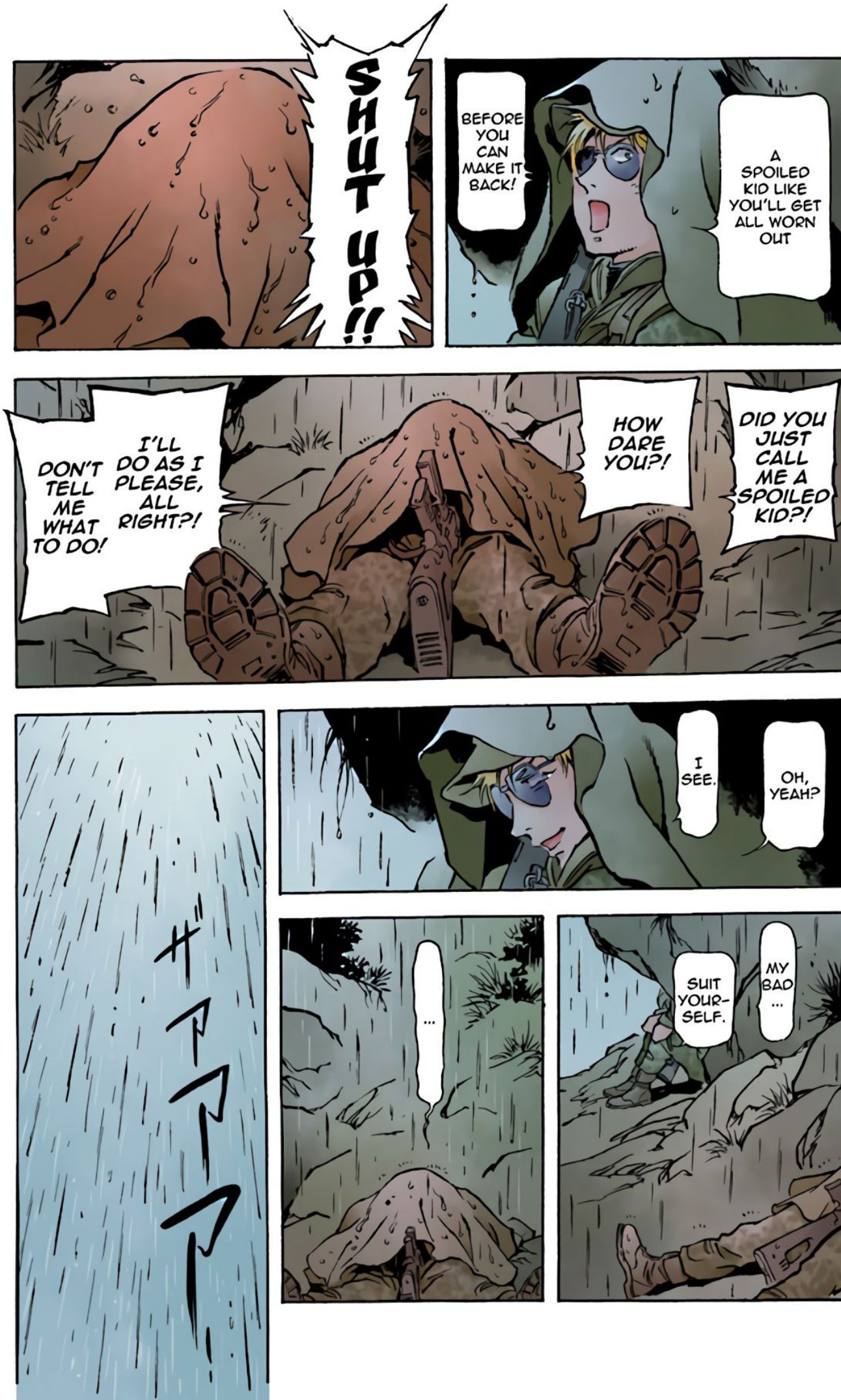

HAVE THE CADETS STOP AND REST AT THEIR CURRENT POSITIONS.
IT'S TIME FOR RAIN.
ALL POINTS,


RAIN MAKES THE ROCKY AREAS SLIPPERY IN PARTICULAR.


EVEN AFTER IT STOPS, BIVOUAC UNTIL IT'S TIME FOR THE SKY TO CLEAR AGAIN!
50 MM— IT'LL BE A BIT HEAVY TODAY.


...
THEY'RE REALLY MAKIN' IT COME DOWN TODAY!
WHY DO THEY HATE US?!
Mom-my~
CAN'T TAKE IT.
I WANNA GO BACK TO ZUM CITY.
WANNA GO HOME.
JUST KILL ME AL-READY!


IT'S NICE AND DRY.
COME OVER HERE.
...
...
WE STILL HAVE 20 KM TO GO.
IF YOU GET WET, YOU'LL CATCH A COLD!
AND THEN THE TEMPER-ATURE WILL DROP.
IT'LL GO ON RAINING FOR SOME TIME YET.


SHUT UP!!
A SPOILED KID LIKE YOU'LL GET ALL WORN OUT
BEFORE YOU CAN MAKE IT BACK!
DID YOU JUST CALL ME A SPOILED KID?!
HOW DARE YOU?!
I'LL DO AS I PLEASE, ALL RIGHT?!
DON'T TELL ME WHAT TO DO!
OH, YEAH?
I SEE.
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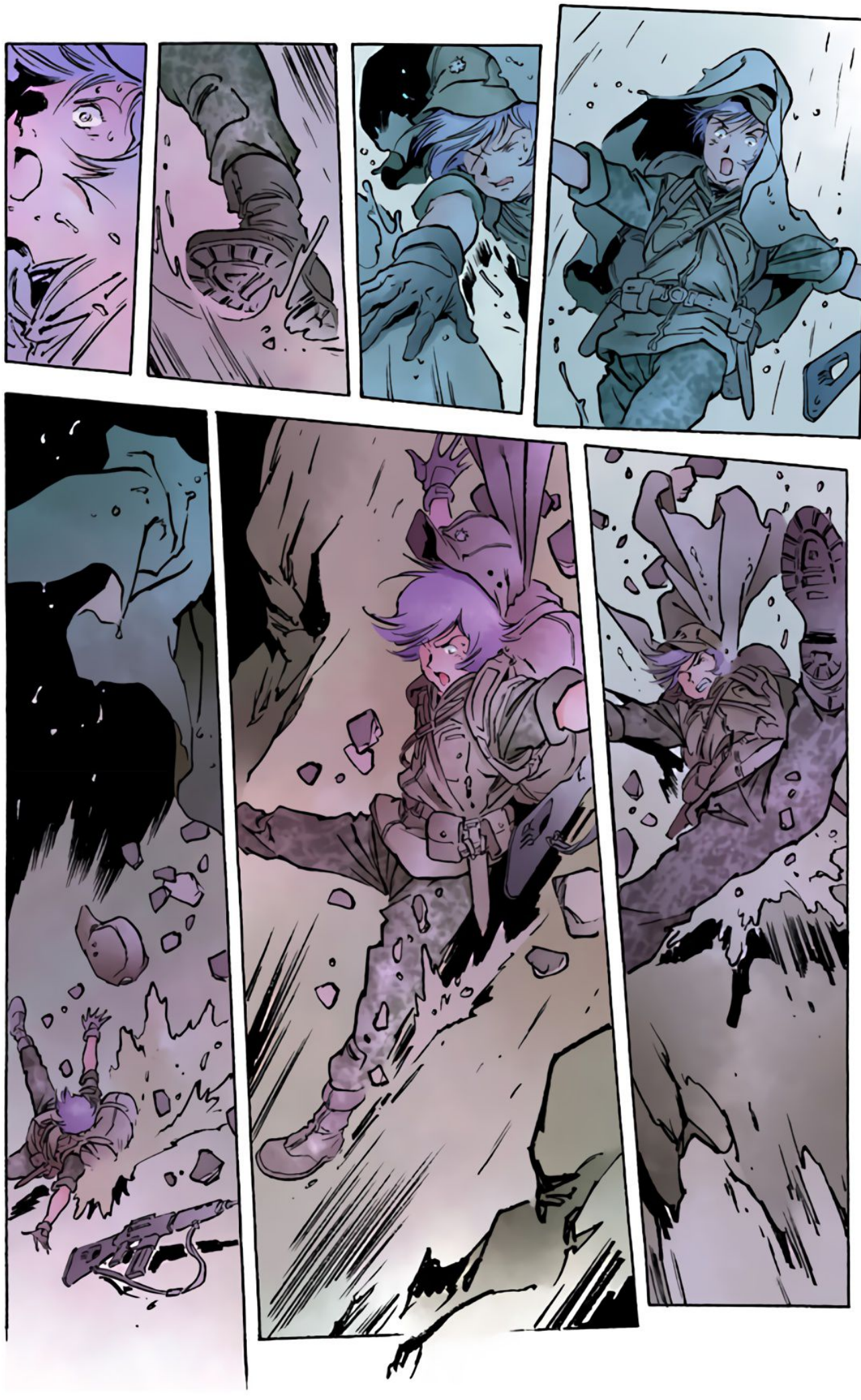
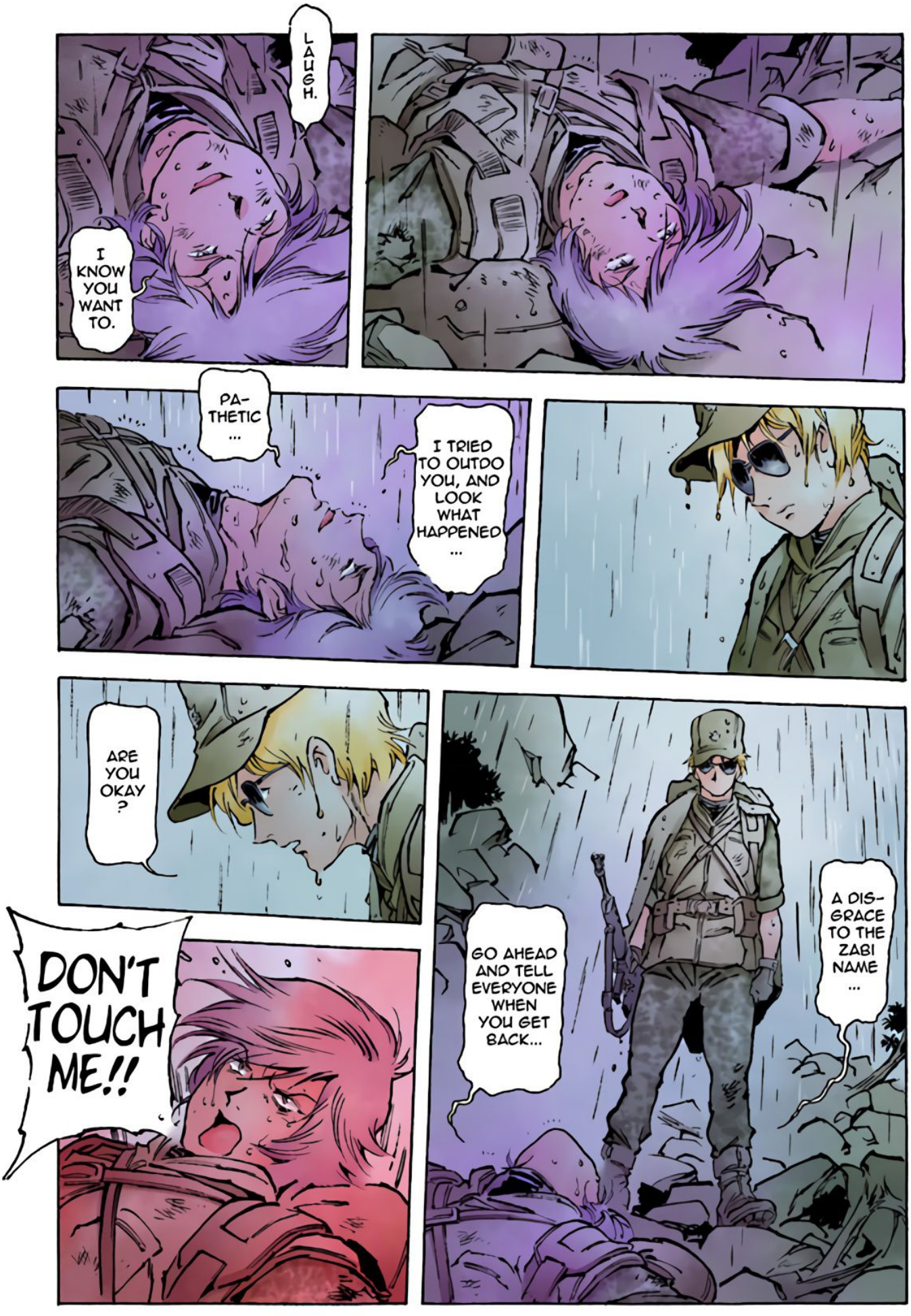
MY BAD ...
SUIT YOURSELF.
...

WHISTLE



NKK...
HGZZZN

...
ahh


LAUGH.
I KNOW YOU WANT TO.
PA-THETIC ...
I TRIED TO OUTDO YOU, AND LOOK WHAT HAPPENED ...
ARE YOU OKAY ?
DON'T TOUCH ME!!
GO AHEAD AND TELL EVERYONE WHEN YOU GET BACK...
A DIS-GRACE TO THE ZABI NAME ...

DON'T LAY A FINGER ON ME!
IF YOU DO,
I'LL KILL YOU!
...
NO ...
YOU ... KILL ME.
IT'S JUST TOO MUCH ...
I CAN'T TAKE THIS.
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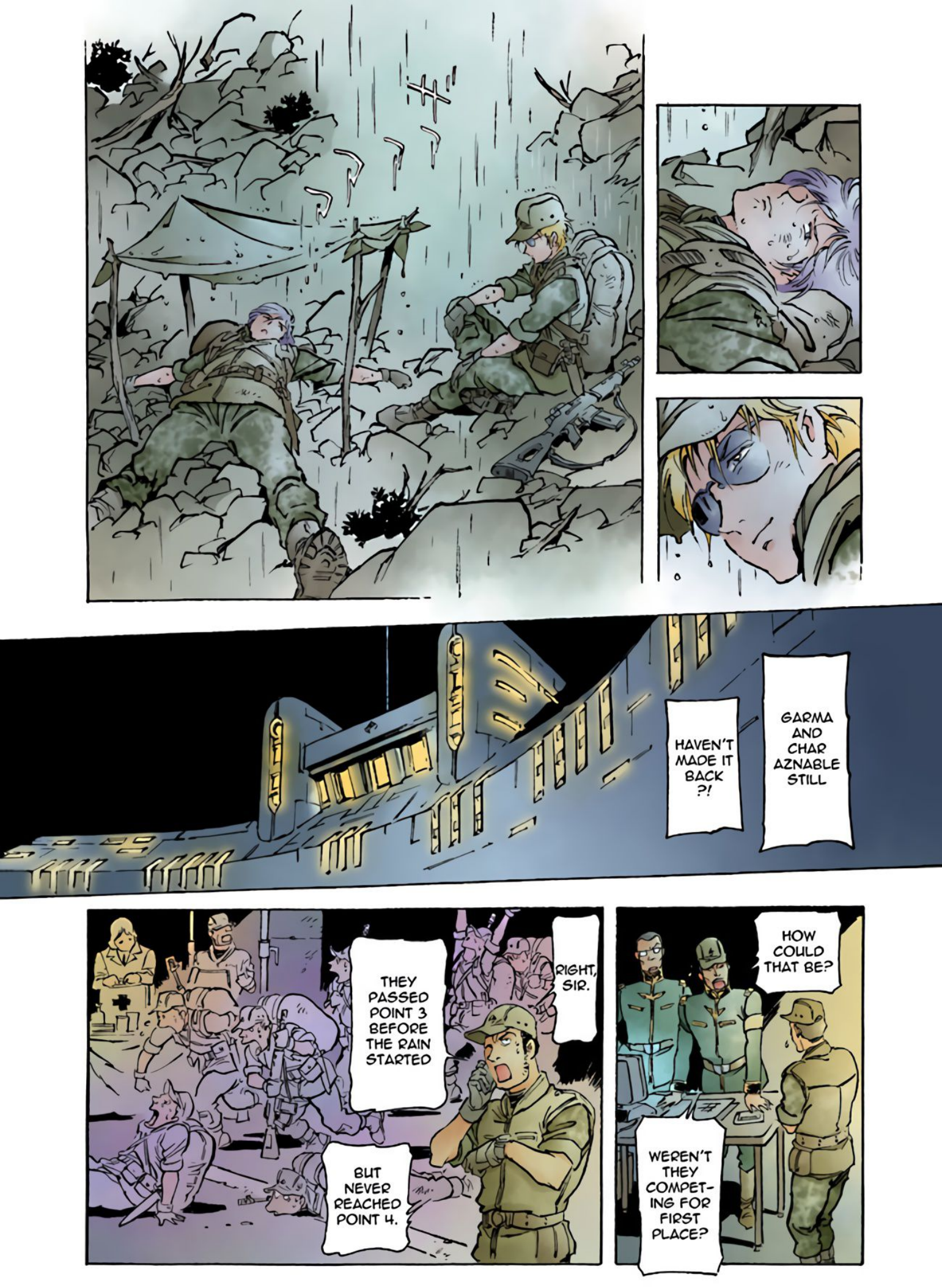
...
...
YOUR
PALACE.
HOW DO YOU LIKE IT?

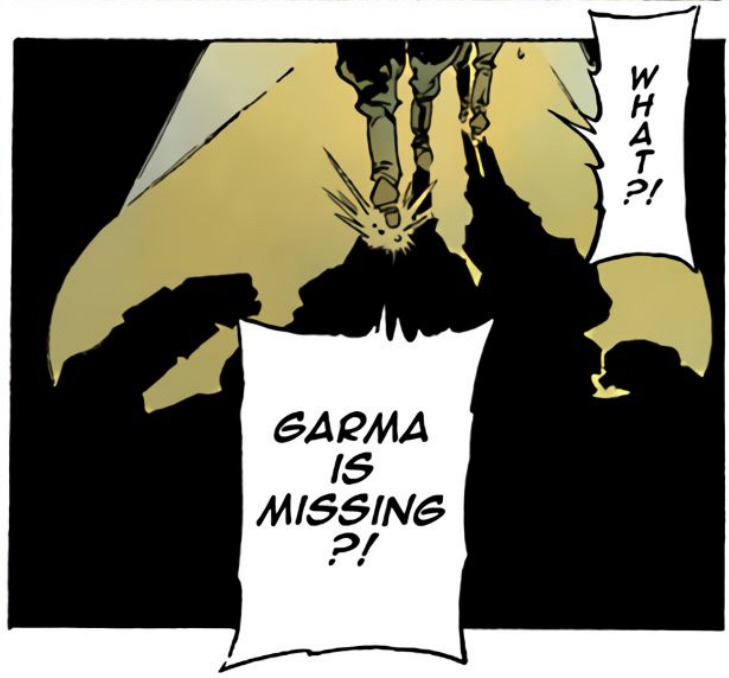

GARMA AND CHAR AZNABLE STILL
HAVEN'T MADE IT BACK ?!
RIGHT, SIR.
THEY PASSED POINT 3 BEFORE THE RAIN STARTED
BUT NEVER REACHED POINT 4.
HOW COULD THAT BE?
WEREN'T THEY COMPET-ING FOR FIRST PLACE?

EVEN WHEN IT'S DRY, THAT AREA IS...
RUN INTO TROUBLE IN THE RAIN, BETWEEN 3 AND 4 ...
THEN THEY MUST HAVE

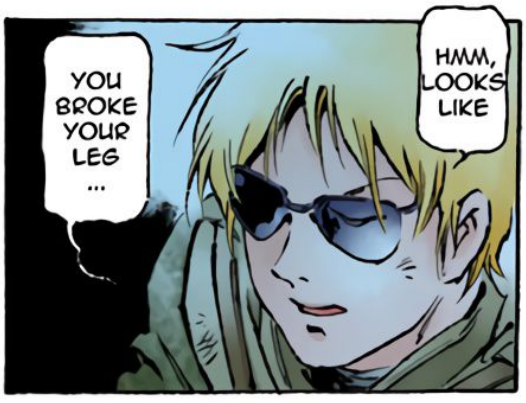
FIND HIM
FIIIIND HIIIIM!

DEAN DOZLE IS BACK!

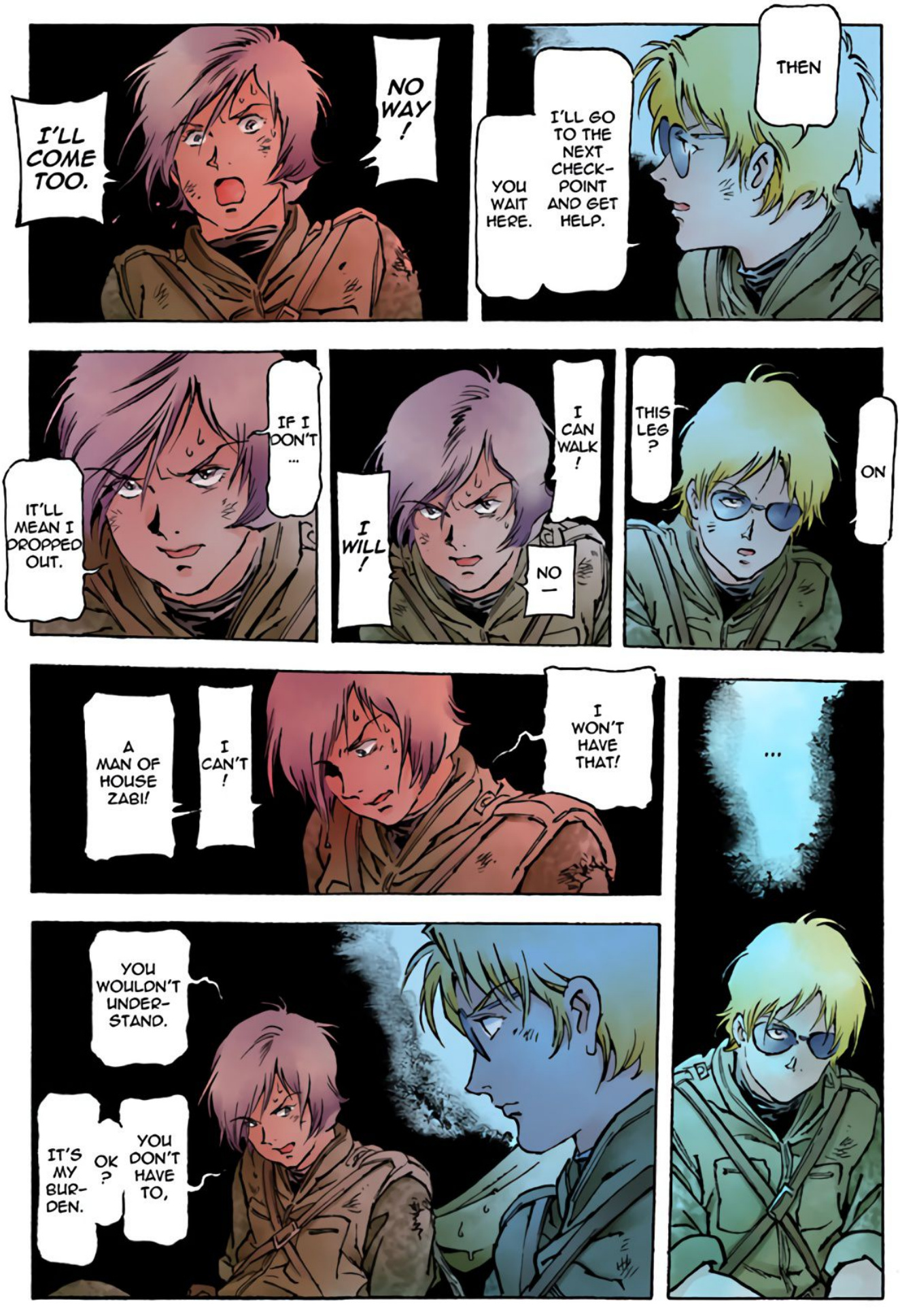
... ...


WHAT?!
GARMA IS MISSING?!

OW!


YOU BROKE YOUR LEG ...
HMM, LOOKS LIKE

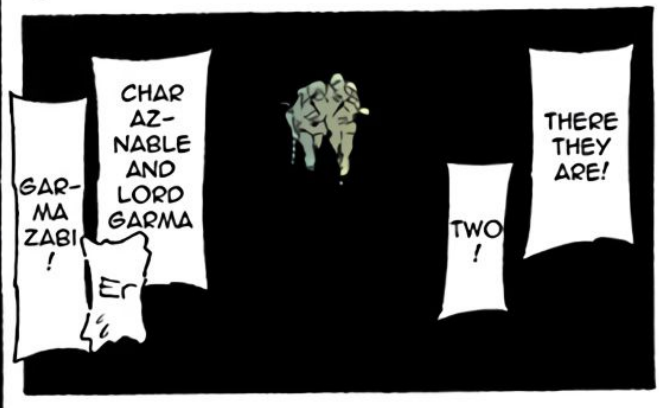
LET'S MAKE A SPLINT AND BIND IT.
IT'LL BE NO MORE THAN FIRST AID, THOUGH.


I'LL COME TOO.
NO WAY!
THEN
I'LL GO TO THE NEXT CHECK-POINT AND GET HELP.
YOU WAIT HERE.
IF I DON'T ...
IT'LL MEAN I DROPPED OUT.
I CAN WALK!
I WILL!
NO—
THIS LEG?
ON
I WON'T HAVE THAT!
I CAN'T!
A MAN OF HOUSE ZABI!
...
YOU WOULDN'T UNDER-STAND.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO, OK?
IT'S MY BUR-DEN.

I DO UNDER-STAND. QUITE WELL.
...
BUT I DON'T WANT TO LOSE TO ANYBODY.
NOT AT THIS SCHOOL ...
IT MUST COME ACROSS LIKE FOOLISH PRIDE TO YOU...
WE'RE GOING ALL OUT BUT...
UH ...
THIS IS POINT 4.
STILL NO SIGN OF THEM.
WHAT'S THAT?
HUH ?
THEY HAVE JUST BEEN FOUND!
ER —
YES !
I-IT LOOKS LIKE...
AH— JUST A SEC.
A SIGNAL. CIRCLE?

TO THE AREA MYSELF !
LET ME HEAD OUT

WE'RE TOLD THEY ARE ON THEIR WAY.
WE CAN'T SEE THEM YET, BUT
Ah !


GAR-MA ZABI !
CHAR AZ-NABLE AND LORD GARMA
Er
TWO !
THERE THEY ARE!

ARMS AROUND EACH OTHER'S SHOUL-DERS.
WHAT A SIGHT !
Ahh !
THEY ARE WAVING AT US !
AND SMIL-ING.

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5
6
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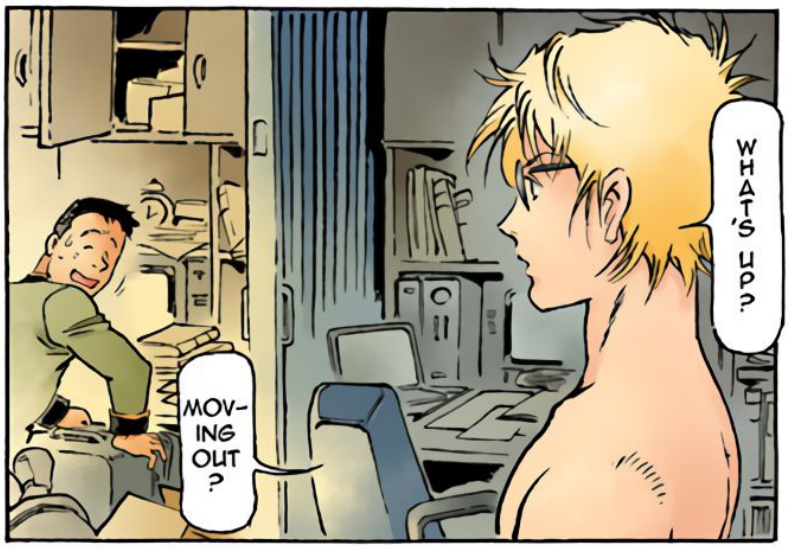
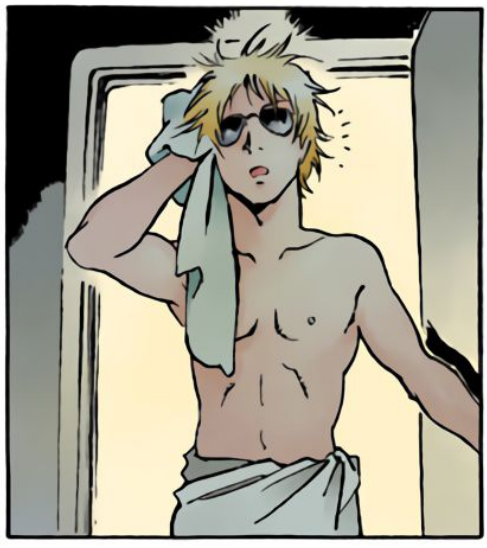
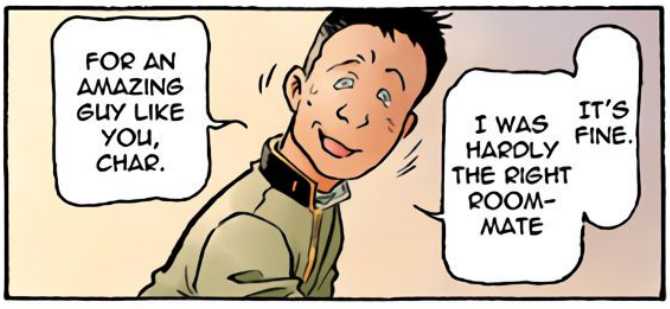
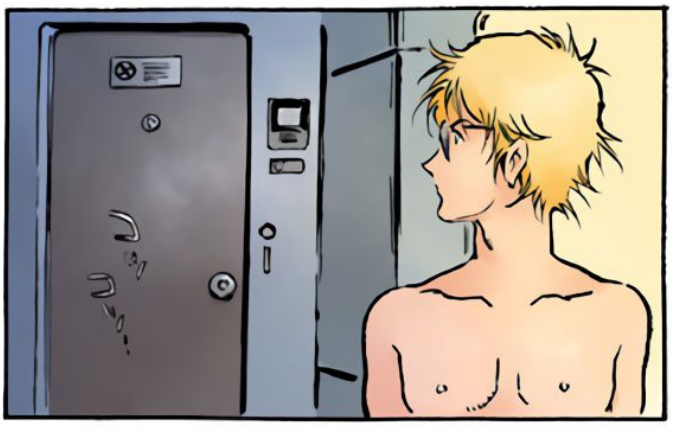
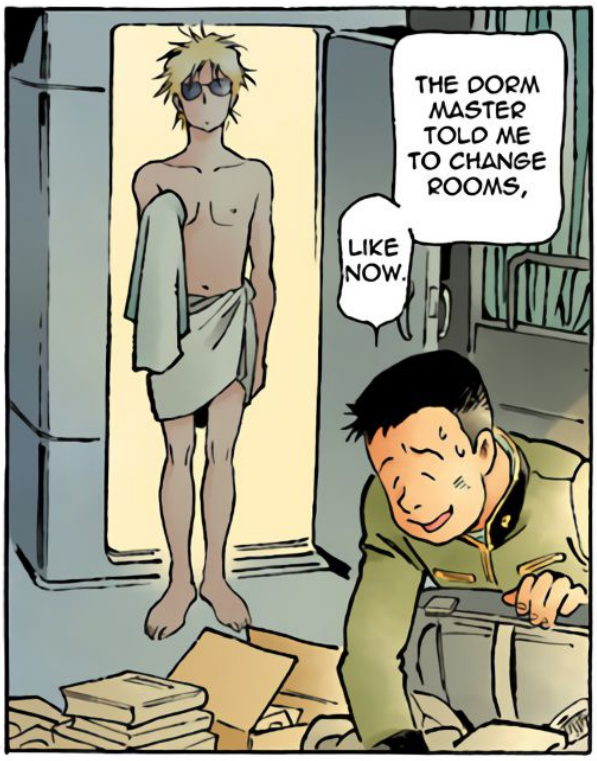
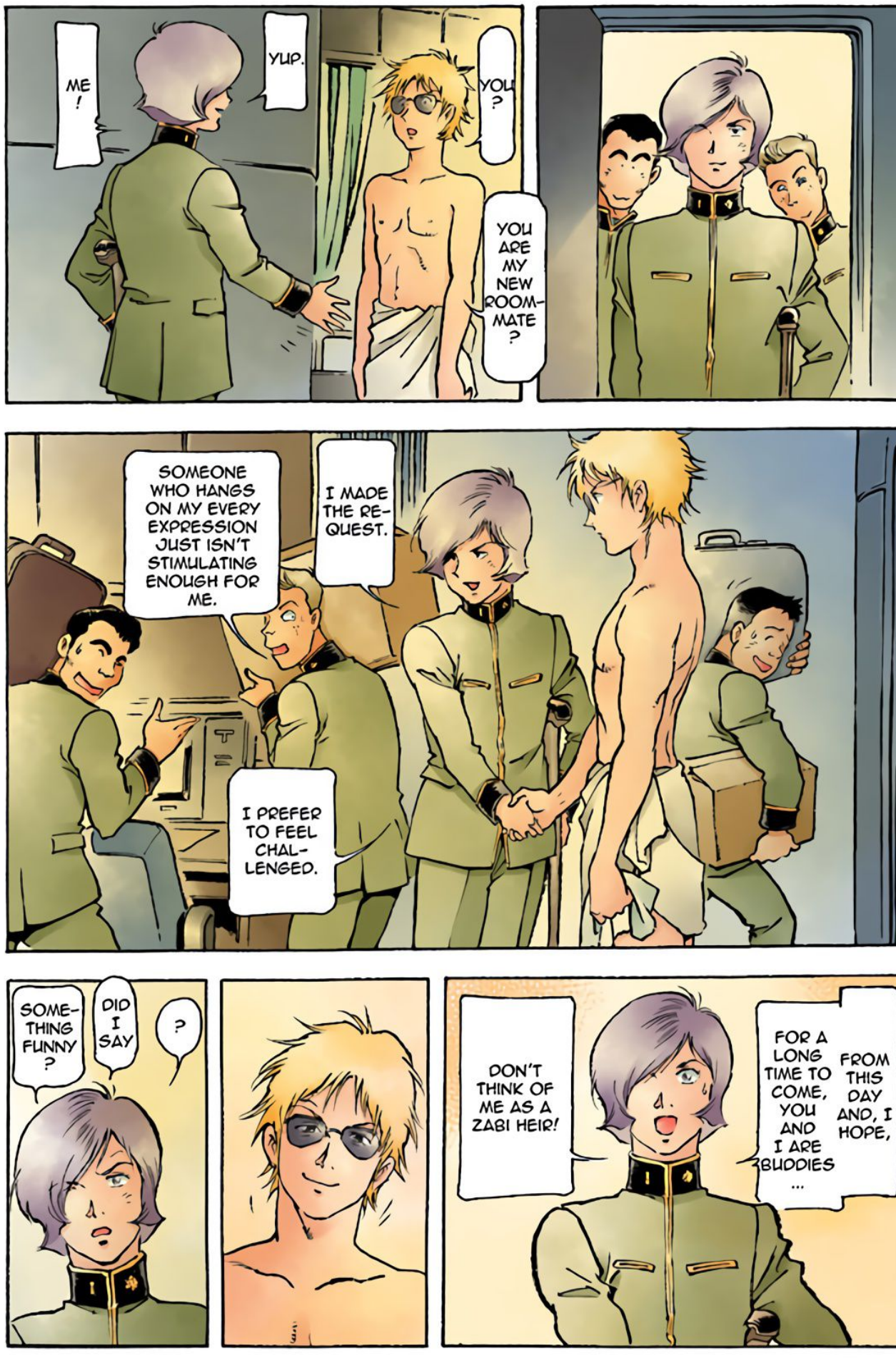

WHAT'S UP?
MOV-ING OUT?

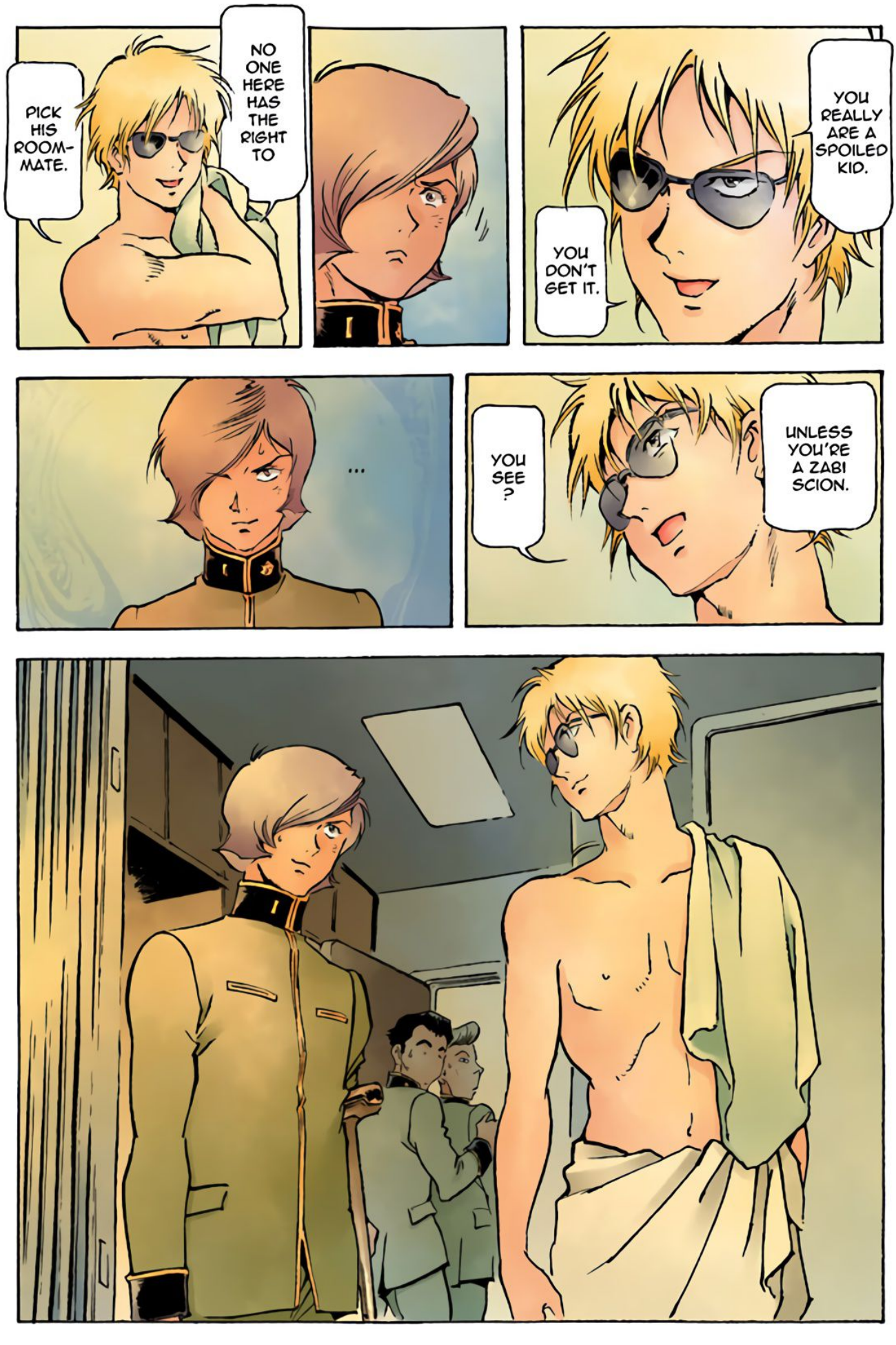



FOR AN AMAZING GUY LIKE YOU, CHAR.
I WAS HARDLY THE RIGHT ROOM-MATE
IT'S FINE.




THE DORM MASTER TOLD ME TO CHANGE ROOMS,
LIKE NOW.


ME!
YUP.
YOU?
YOU ARE MY NEW ROOM-MATE?
SOMEONE WHO HANGS ON MY EVERY EXPRESSION JUST ISN'T STIMULATING ENOUGH FOR ME.
I MADE THE RE-QUEST.
I PREFER TO FEEL CHAL-LENGED.
SOME-THING FUNNY?
DID I SAY
?
DON'T THINK OF ME AS A ZABI HEIR!
FOR A LONG TIME TO COME, YOU AND I ARE BUDDIES ...
FROM THIS DAY AND, I HOPE,


PICK HIS ROOM-MATE.
NO ONE HERE HAS THE RIGHT TO
YOU DON'T GET IT.
YOU REALLY ARE A SPOILED KID.
...
YOU SEE ?
UNLESS YOU'RE A ZABI SCION.

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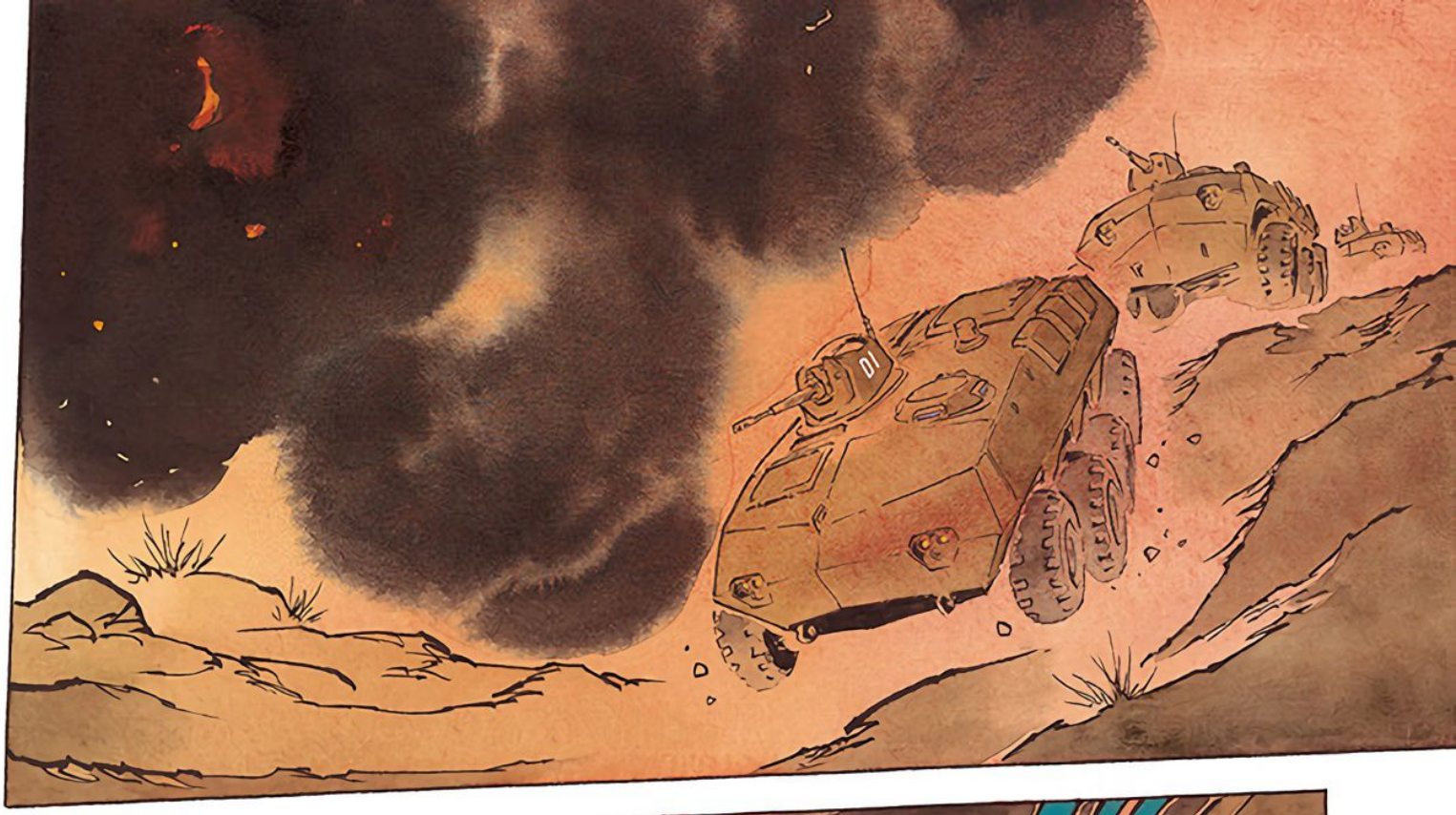
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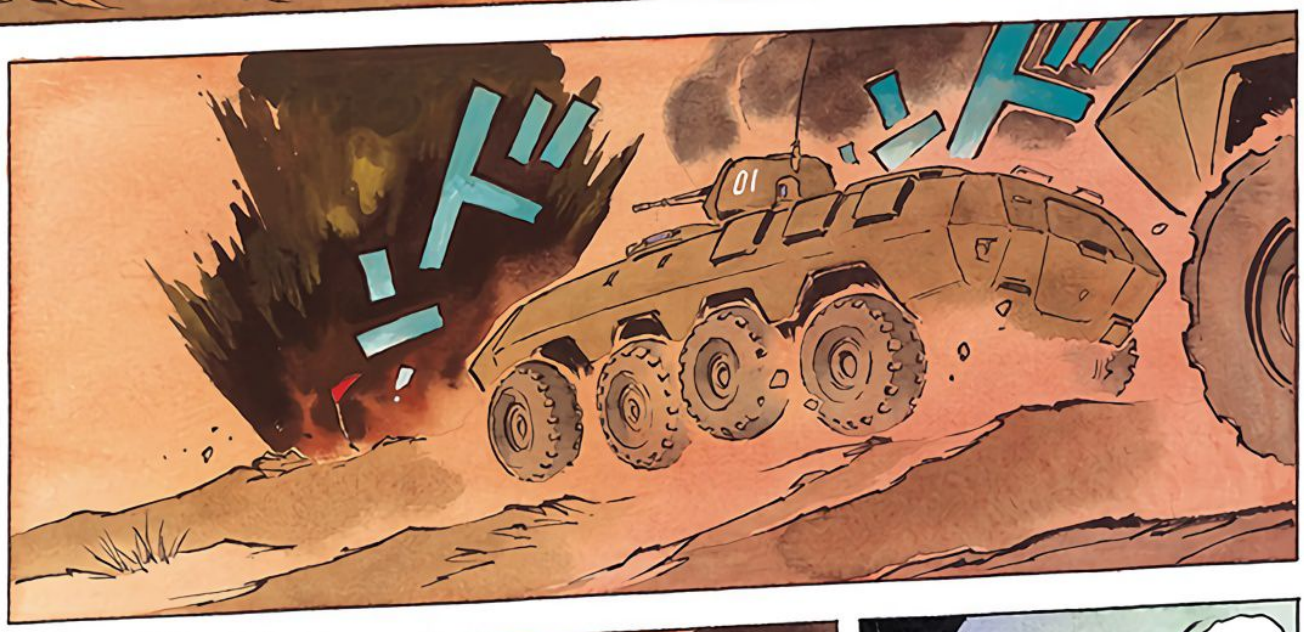
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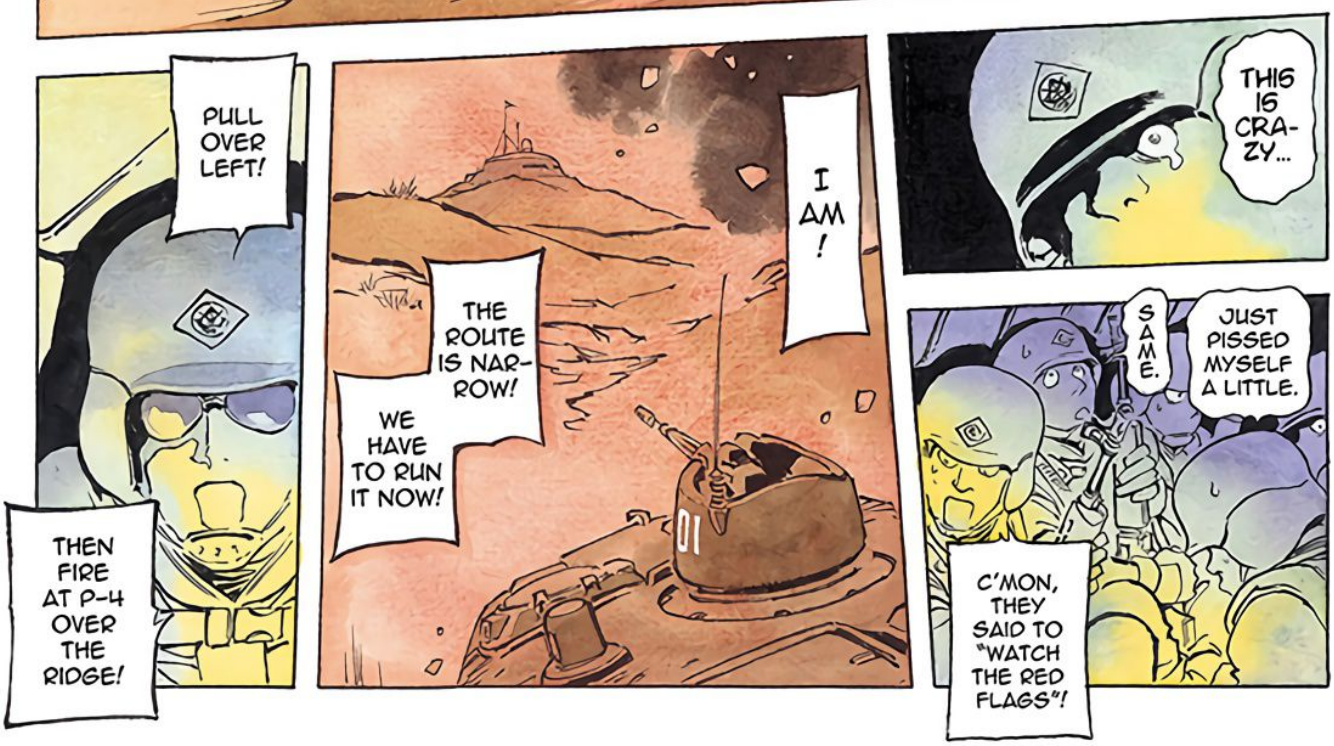
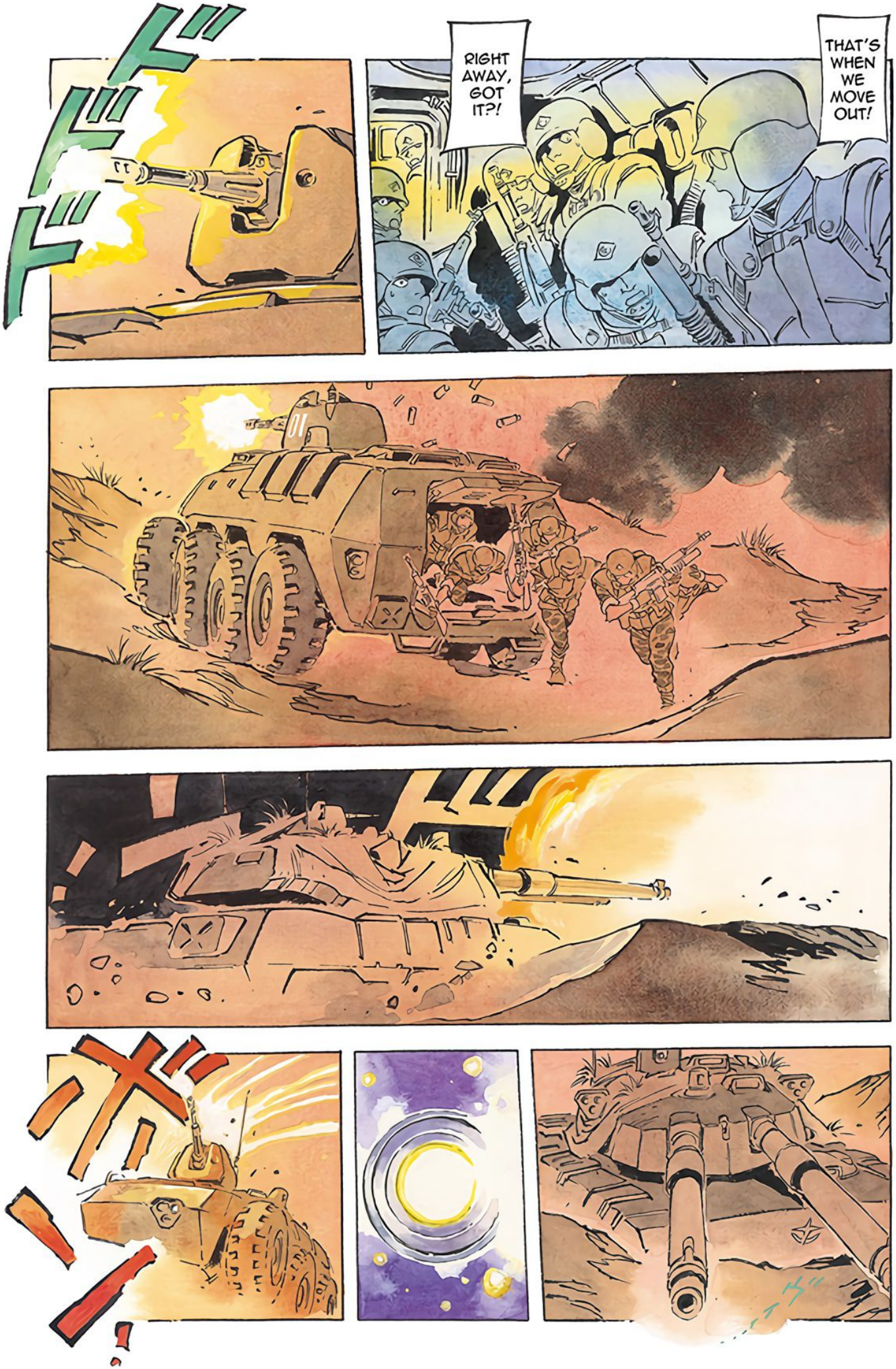
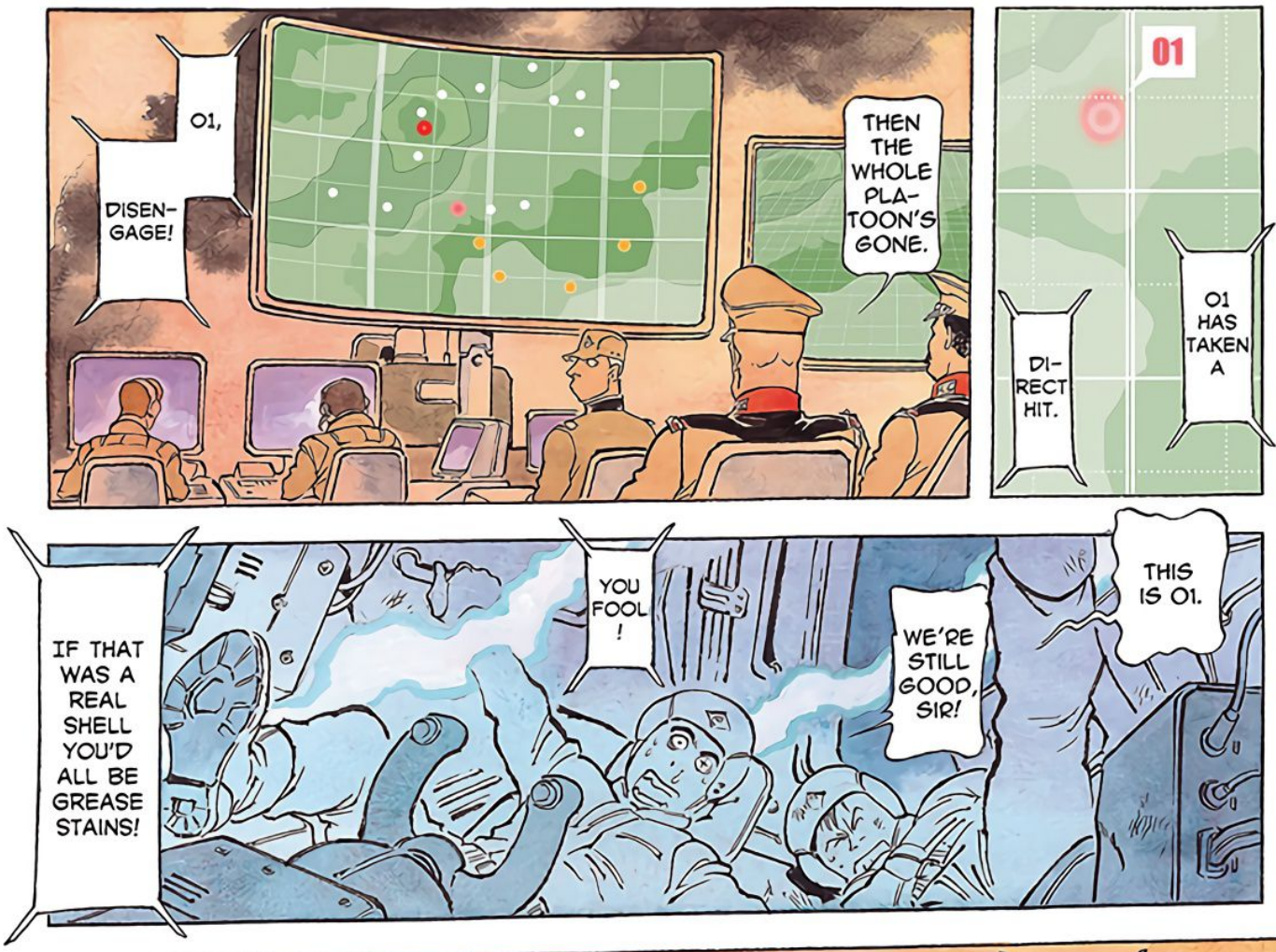
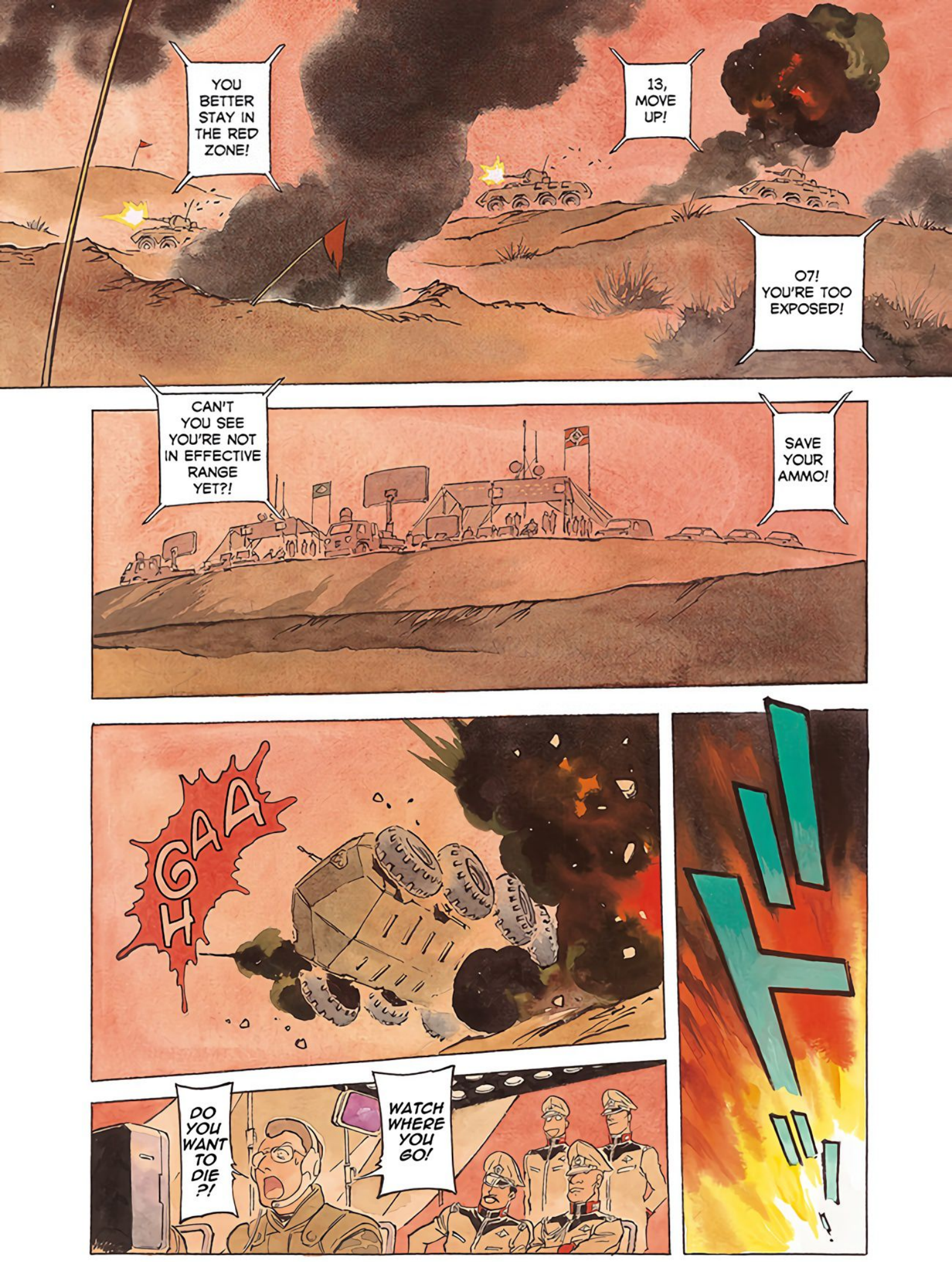
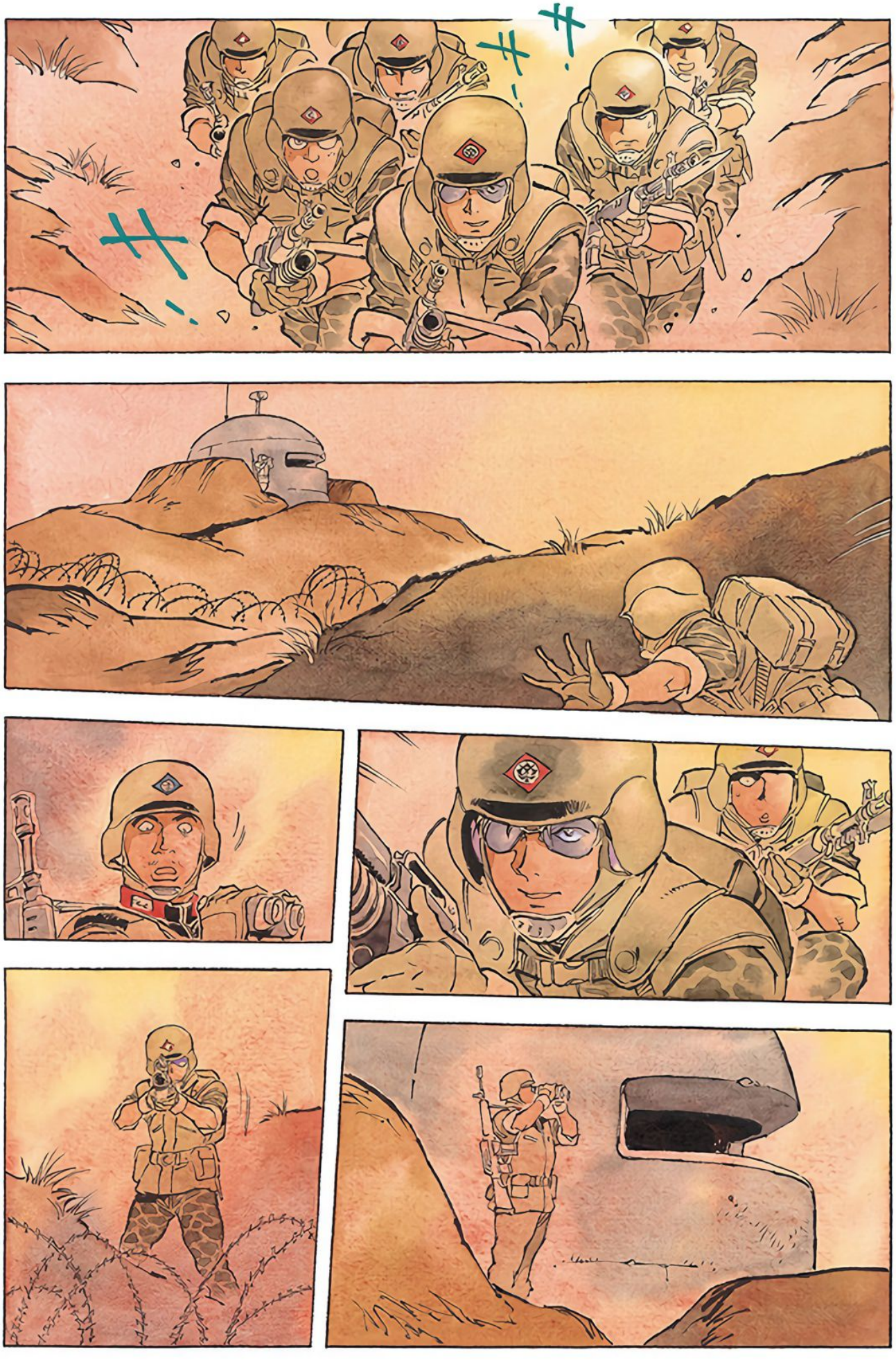
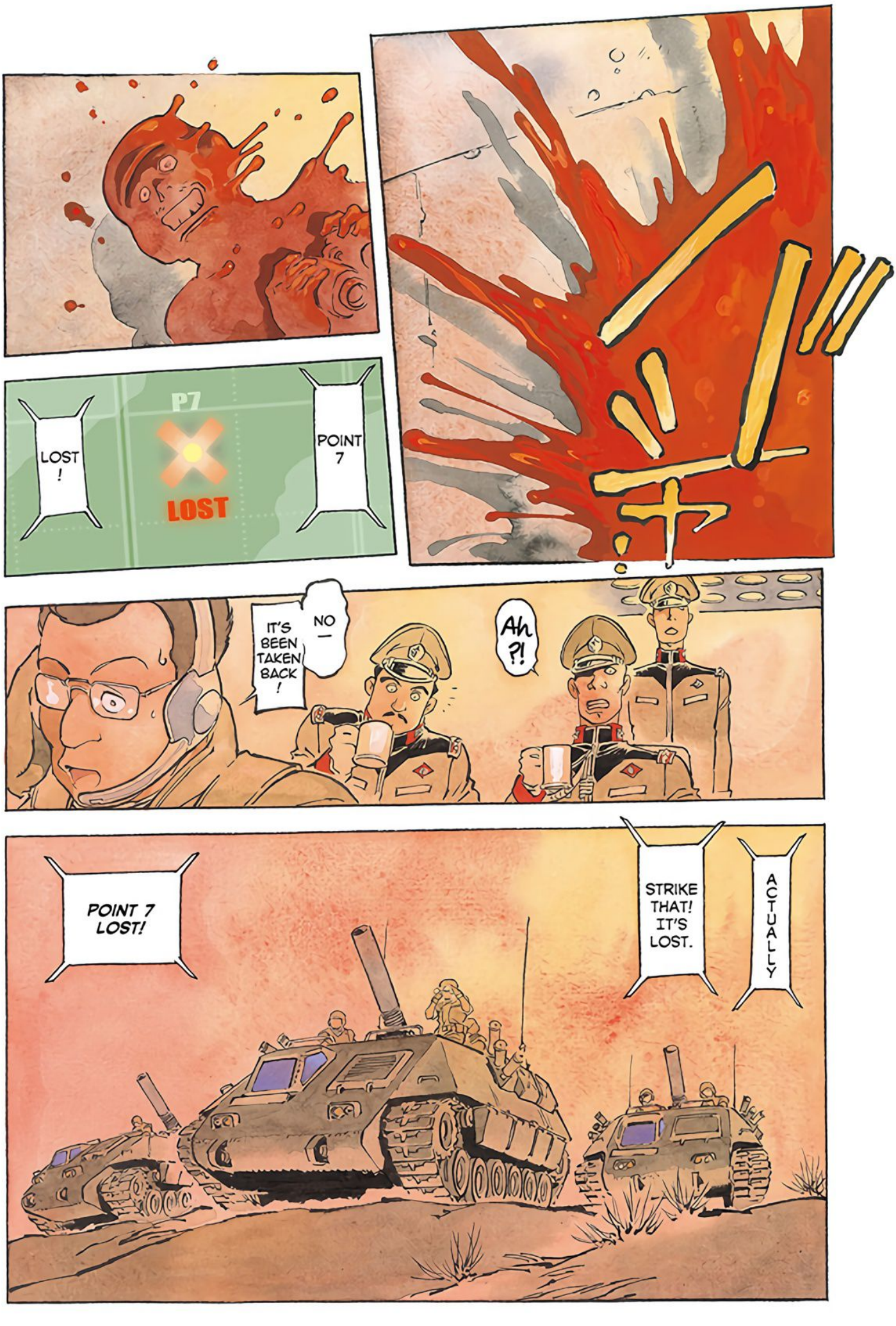

PULL OVER LEFT!
THEN FIRE AT P-4 OVER THE RIDGE!
I AM!
THE ROUTE IS NAR-ROW!
WE HAVE TO RUN IT NOW!
01
THIS IS CRA-ZY...
SAME.
JUST PISSED MYSELF A LITTLE.
C'MON, THEY SAID TO "WATCH THE RED FLAGS"!


THAT'S WHEN WE MOVE OUT!
RIGHT AWAY, GOT IT?!

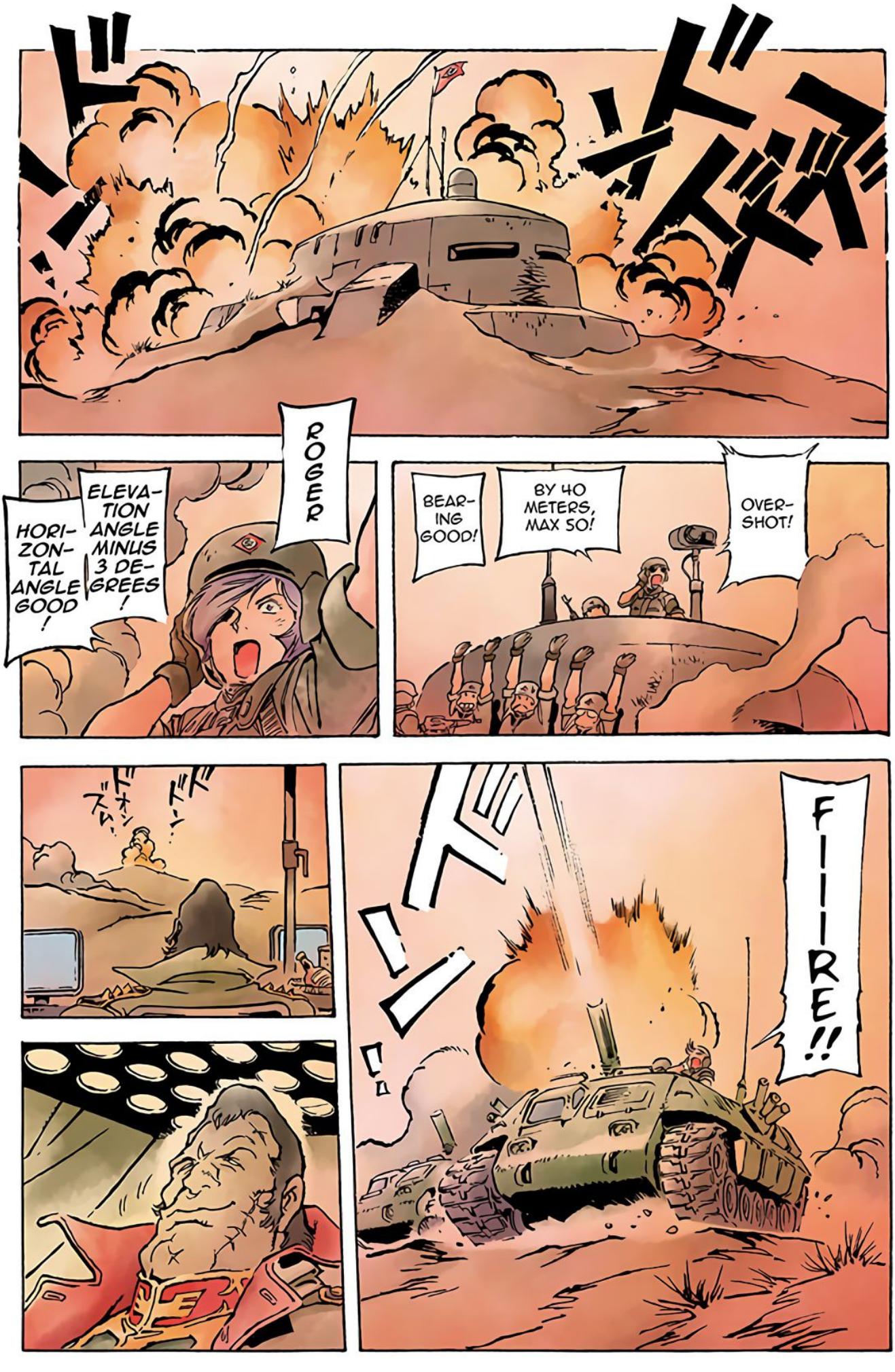

01,
DISEN-GAGE!
THEN THE WHOLE PLA-TOON'S GONE.
01
DI-RECT HIT.
01 HAS TAKEN A
IF THAT WAS A REAL SHELL YOU'D ALL BE GREASE STAINS!
YOU FOOL!
WE'RE STILL GOOD, SIR!
THIS IS 01.
GOTTA PRESS ON HARDER THAN THAT!!
DON'T COW-ER!
MOVE UP!
03,
HOLD RIGHT THERE FOR PICK-UP!
THE LEFT WING'S FALLEN APART.


YOU BETTER STAY IN THE RED ZONE!
13, MOVE UP!
07! YOU'RE TOO EXPOSED!
CAN'T YOU SEE YOU'RE NOT IN EFFECTIVE RANGE YET?!
SAVE YOUR AMMO!
HGAA
DO YOU WANT TO DIE?!
WATCH WHERE YOU GO!




LOST !
P7
LOST
POINT 7
NO —
IT'S BEEN TAKEN BACK !
Ah ?!
POINT 7 LOST!
STRIKE THAT! IT'S LOST.
ACTUALLY

NICE,
CHAR!!
PRE-PARE TO FIRE!
MAX-IMUM RANGE!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OVER-SHOT!
BY 40 METERS, MAX 50!
BEAR-ING GOOD!
ROGER
ELEVA-TION ANGLE MINUS 3 DE-GREES!
HORI-ZON-TAL ANGLE GOOD!
FIIIRE!!
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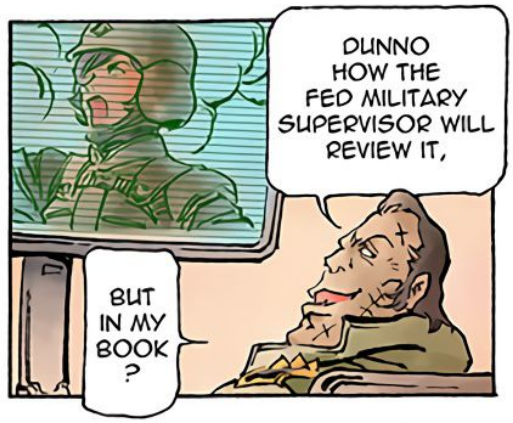
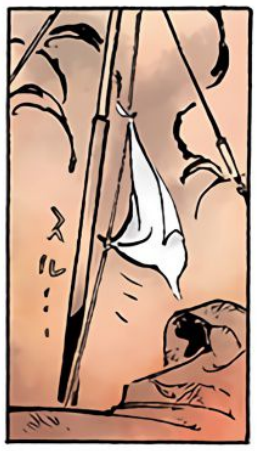
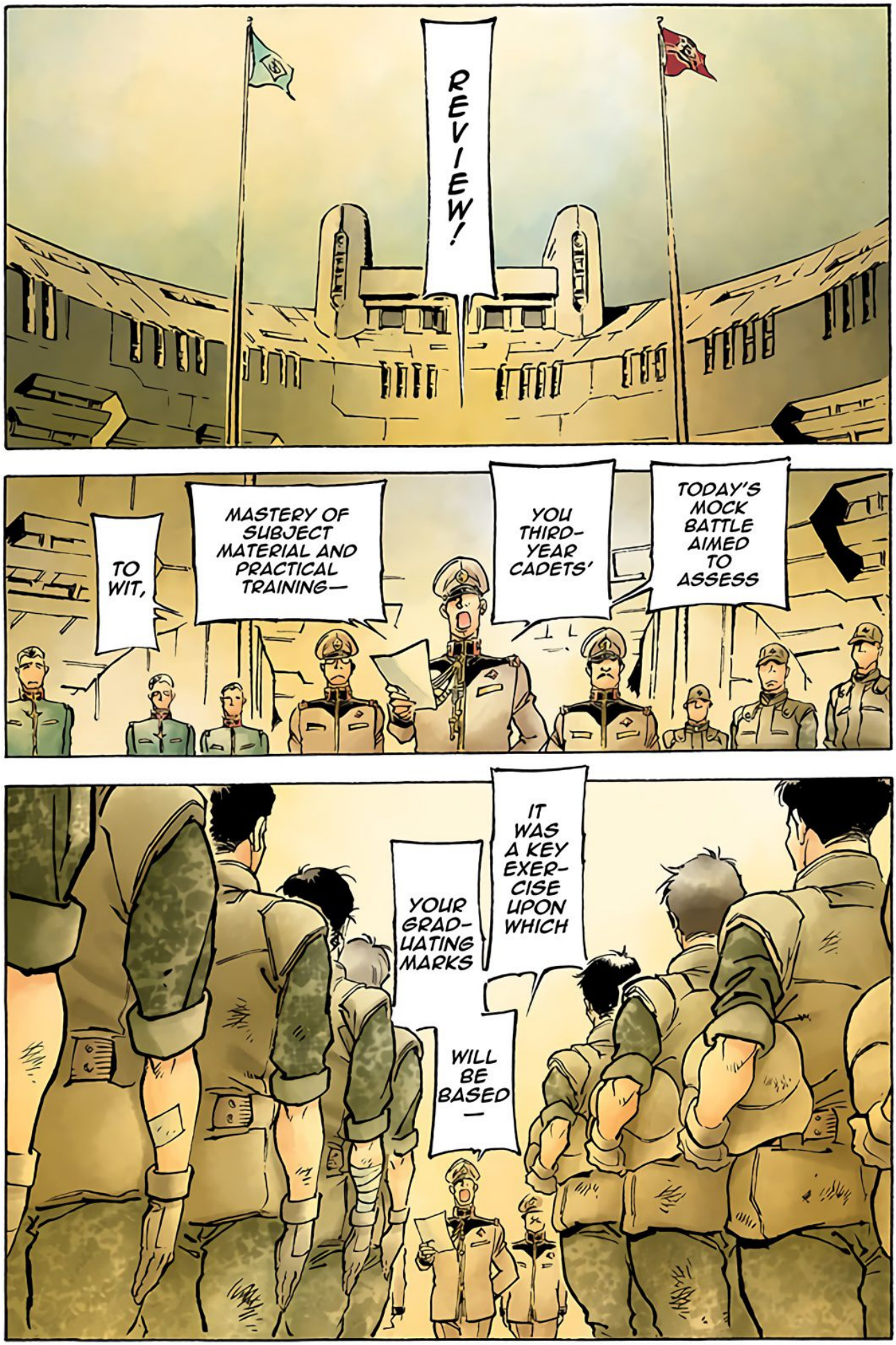
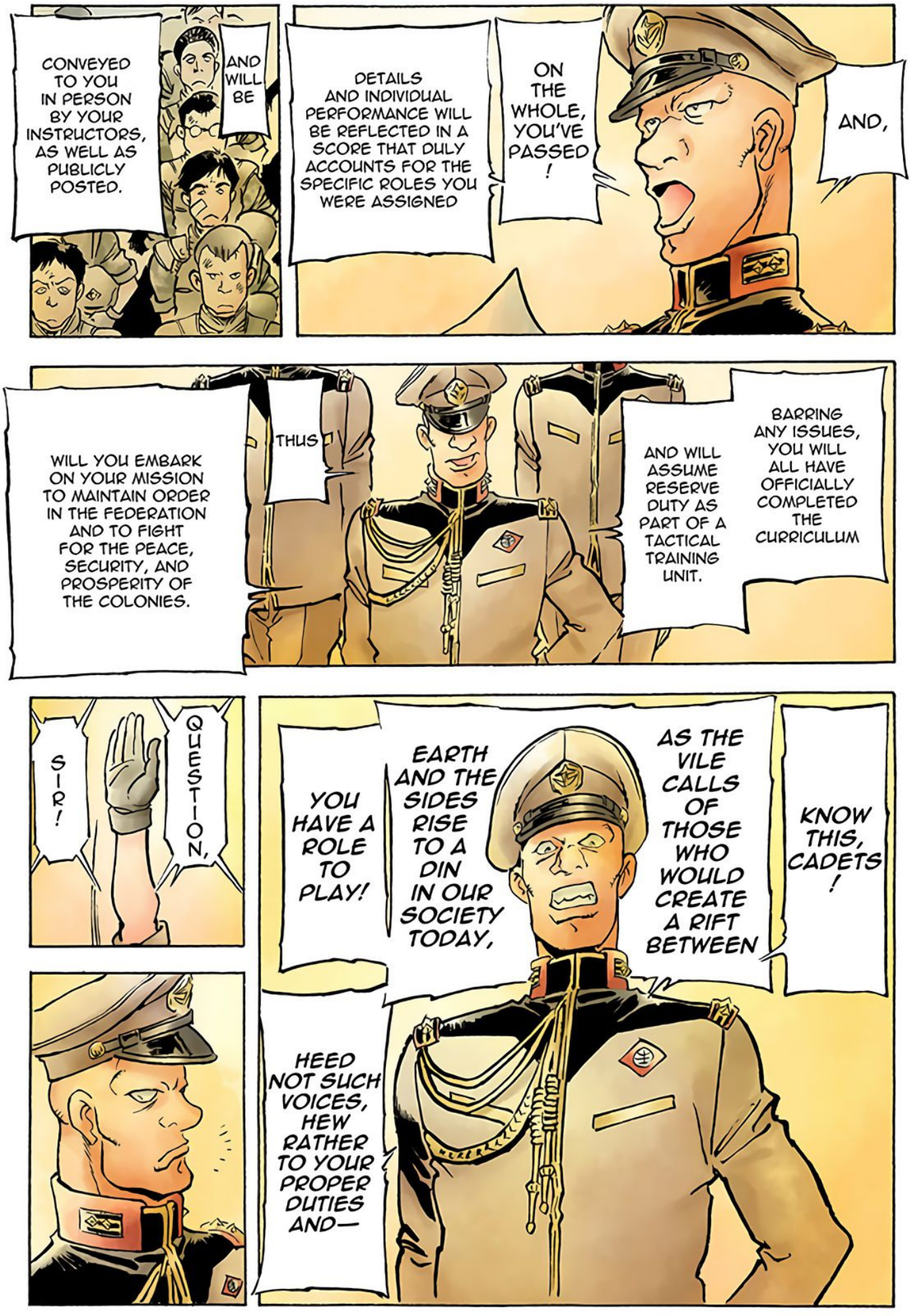
CONCENTRATE YOUR ONLY STRIKING CAPACITY, A ROW OF MORTARS, IN PINPOINT BARRAGES...
INSTEAD TAKING THE REARMOST ENEMY POST IN A SURPRISE INFANTRY ATTACK AND USING THAT AS AN OBSERVATION POINT,
CALCULATING THE DISADVANTAGE IN MANPOWER AND FIREPOWER AND ESCHEWING A HEAD-ON PUSH,

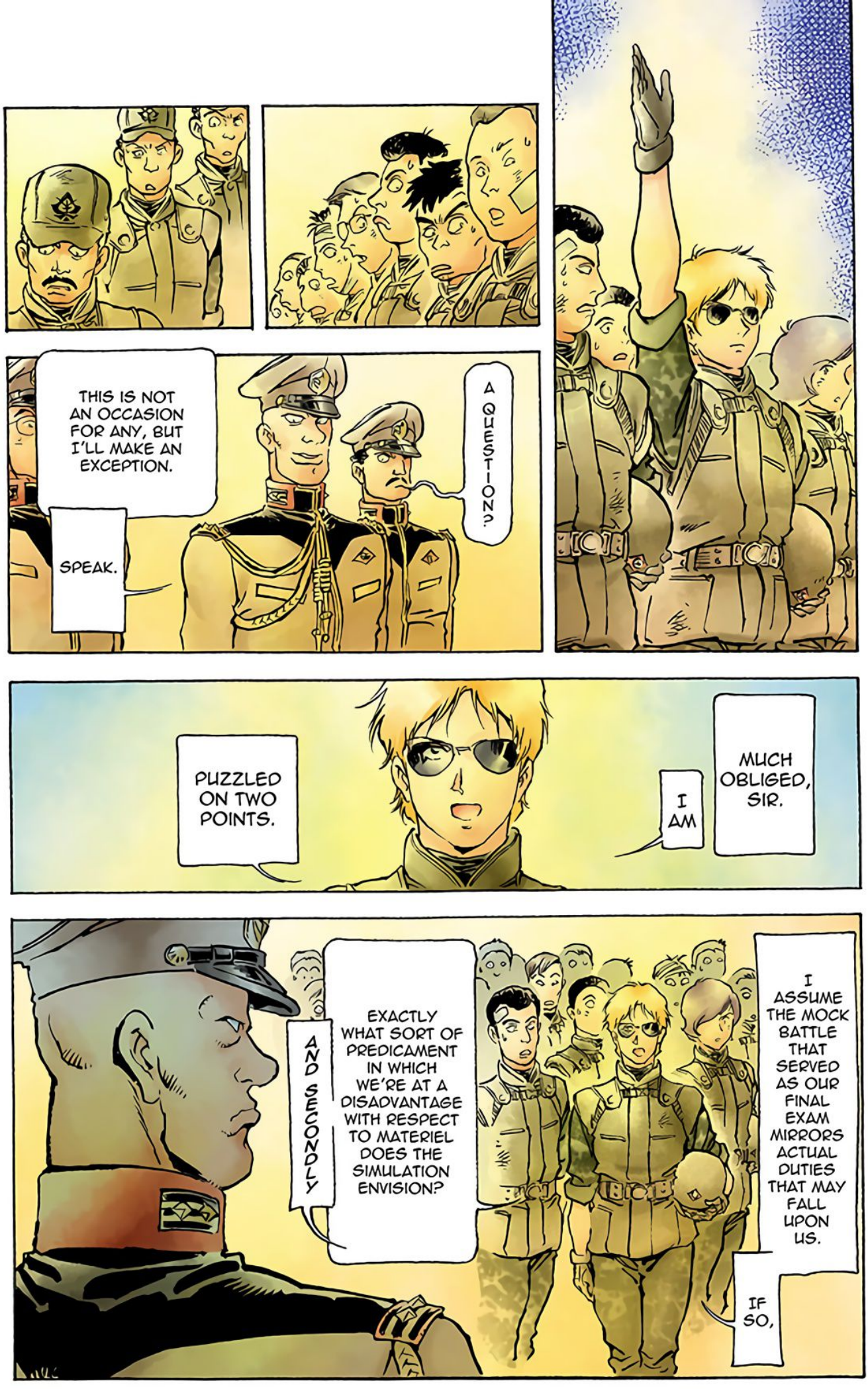

DUNNO HOW THE FED MILITARY SUPERVISOR WILL REVIEW IT,
BUT IN MY BOOK ?

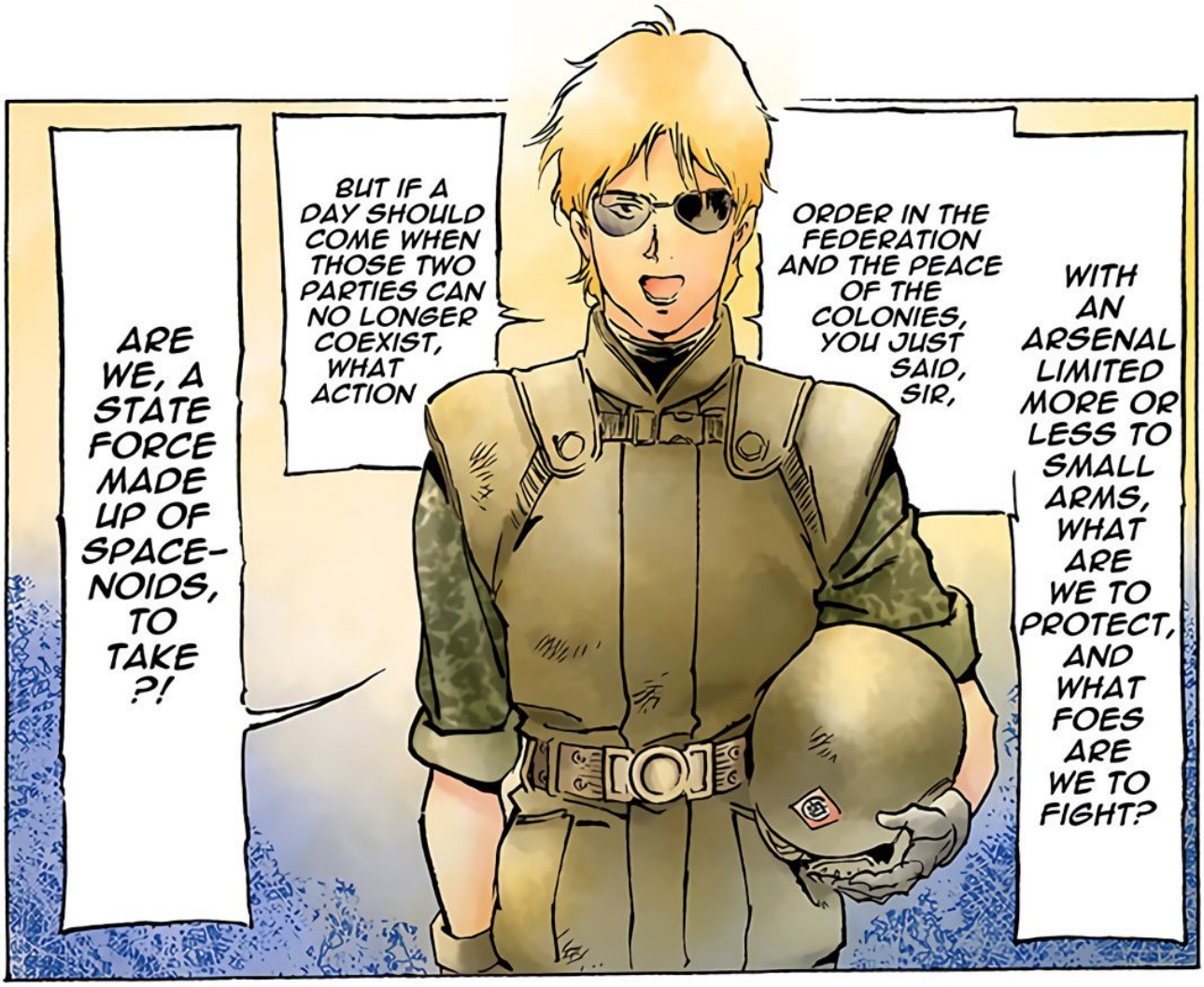
FLAWLESS!




REVIEW!
TODAY'S MOCK BATTLE AIMED TO ASSESS
YOU THIRD-YEAR CADETS'
MASTERY OF SUBJECT MATERIAL AND PRACTICAL TRAINING—
TO WIT,
IT WAS A KEY EXER-CISE UPON WHICH
YOUR GRAD-UATING MARKS
WILL BE BASED —


CONVEYED TO YOU IN PERSON BY YOUR INSTRUCTORS, AS WELL AS PUBLICLY POSTED.
AND WILL BE
DETAILS AND INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE WILL BE REFLECTED IN A SCORE THAT DULY ACCOUNTS FOR THE SPECIFIC ROLES YOU WERE ASSIGNED
ON THE WHOLE, YOU'VE PASSED !
AND,
WILL YOU EMBARK ON YOUR MISSION TO MAINTAIN ORDER IN THE FEDERATION AND TO FIGHT FOR THE PEACE, SECURITY, AND PROSPERITY OF THE COLONIES.
THUS
AND WILL ASSUME RESERVE DUTY AS PART OF A TACTICAL TRAINING UNIT.
BARRING ANY ISSUES, YOU WILL ALL HAVE OFFICIALLY COMPLETED THE CURRICULUM
SIR !
QUESTION,
YOU HAVE A ROLE TO PLAY!
EARTH AND THE SIDES RISE TO A DIN IN OUR SOCIETY TODAY,
AS THE VILE CALLS OF THOSE WHO WOULD CREATE A RIFT BETWEEN
KNOW THIS, CADETS !
HEED NOT SUCH VOICES, HEW RATHER TO YOUR PROPER DUTIES AND—

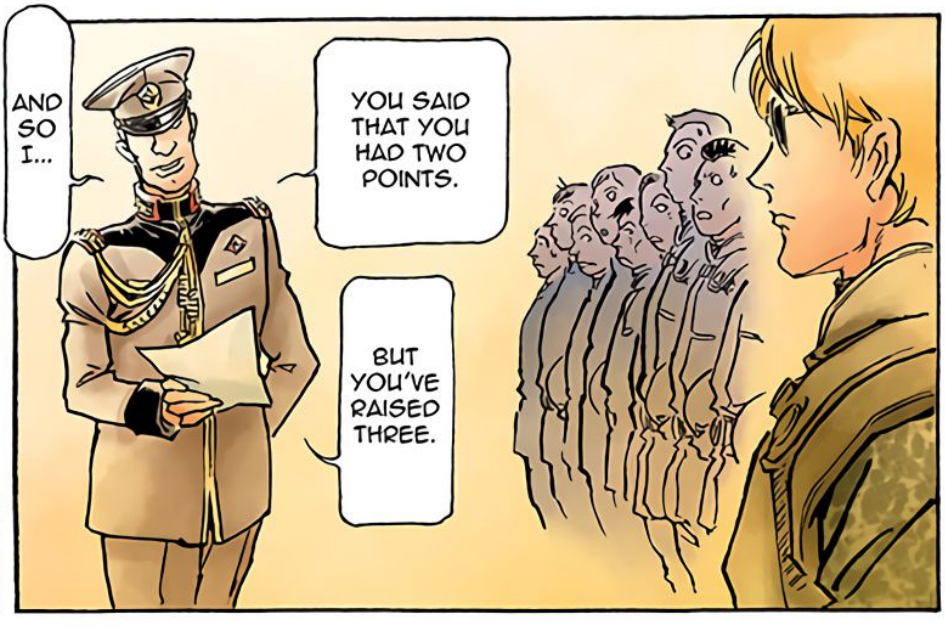

A QUESTION?
THIS IS NOT AN OCCASION FOR ANY, BUT I'LL MAKE AN EXCEPTION.
SPEAK.
I AM
MUCH OBLIGED, SIR.
PUZZLED ON TWO POINTS.
I ASSUME THE MOCK BATTLE THAT SERVED AS OUR FINAL EXAM MIRRORS ACTUAL DUTIES THAT MAY FALL UPON US.
IF SO,
EXACTLY WHAT SORT OF PREDICAMENT IN WHICH WE'RE AT A DISADVANTAGE WITH RESPECT TO MATERIEL DOES THE SIMULATION ENVISION?
AND SECONDLY

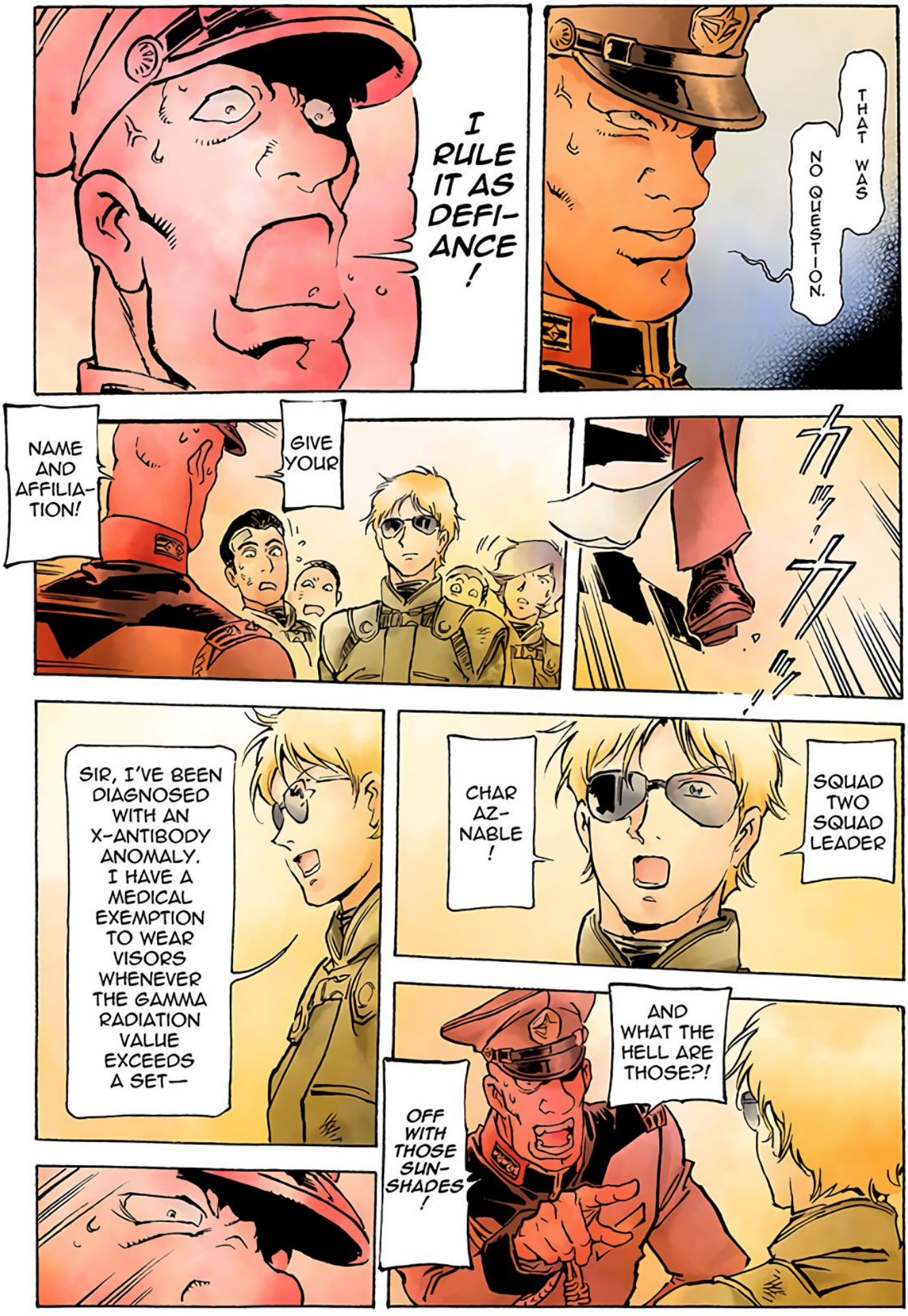

WITH AN ARSENAL LIMITED MORE OR LESS TO SMALL ARMS, WHAT ARE WE TO PROTECT, AND WHAT FOES ARE WE TO FIGHT?
ORDER IN THE FEDERATION AND THE PEACE OF THE COLONIES, YOU JUST SAID, SIR,
BUT IF A DAY SHOULD COME WHEN THOSE TWO PARTIES CAN NO LONGER COEXIST, WHAT ACTION
ARE WE, A STATE FORCE MADE UP OF SPACE-NOIDS, TO TAKE ?!

...
HMPH !

HE SAID IT...
EEP

ANY NEED TO OFFER A STRAIGHT ANSWER IN RETURN.
DO NOT SEE
ALSO...


AND SO I...
YOU SAID THAT YOU HAD TWO POINTS.
BUT YOU'VE RAISED THREE.


I RULE IT AS DEFI-ANCE!
THAT WAS NO QUESTION.
NAME AND AFFILIA-TION!
GIVE YOUR
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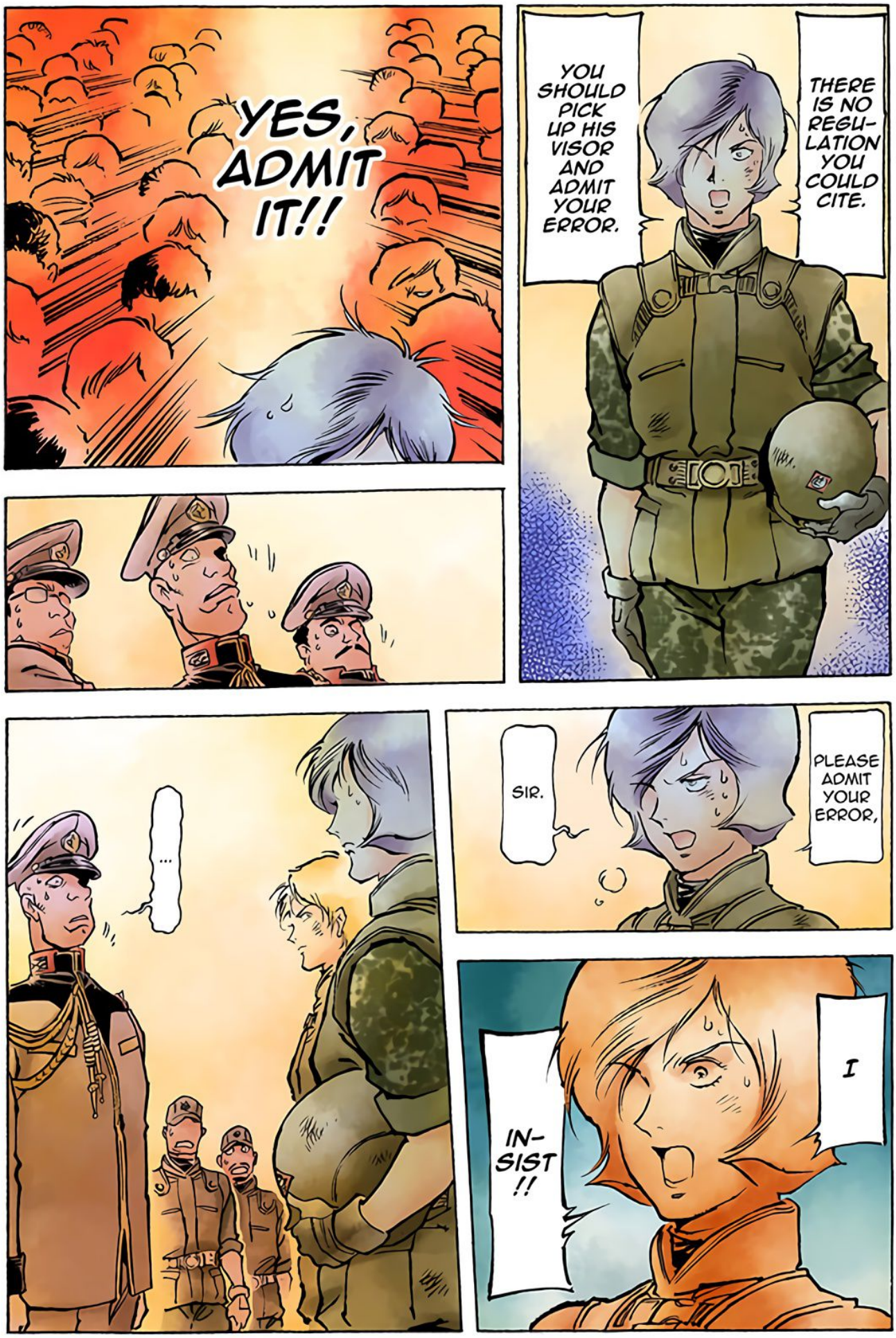
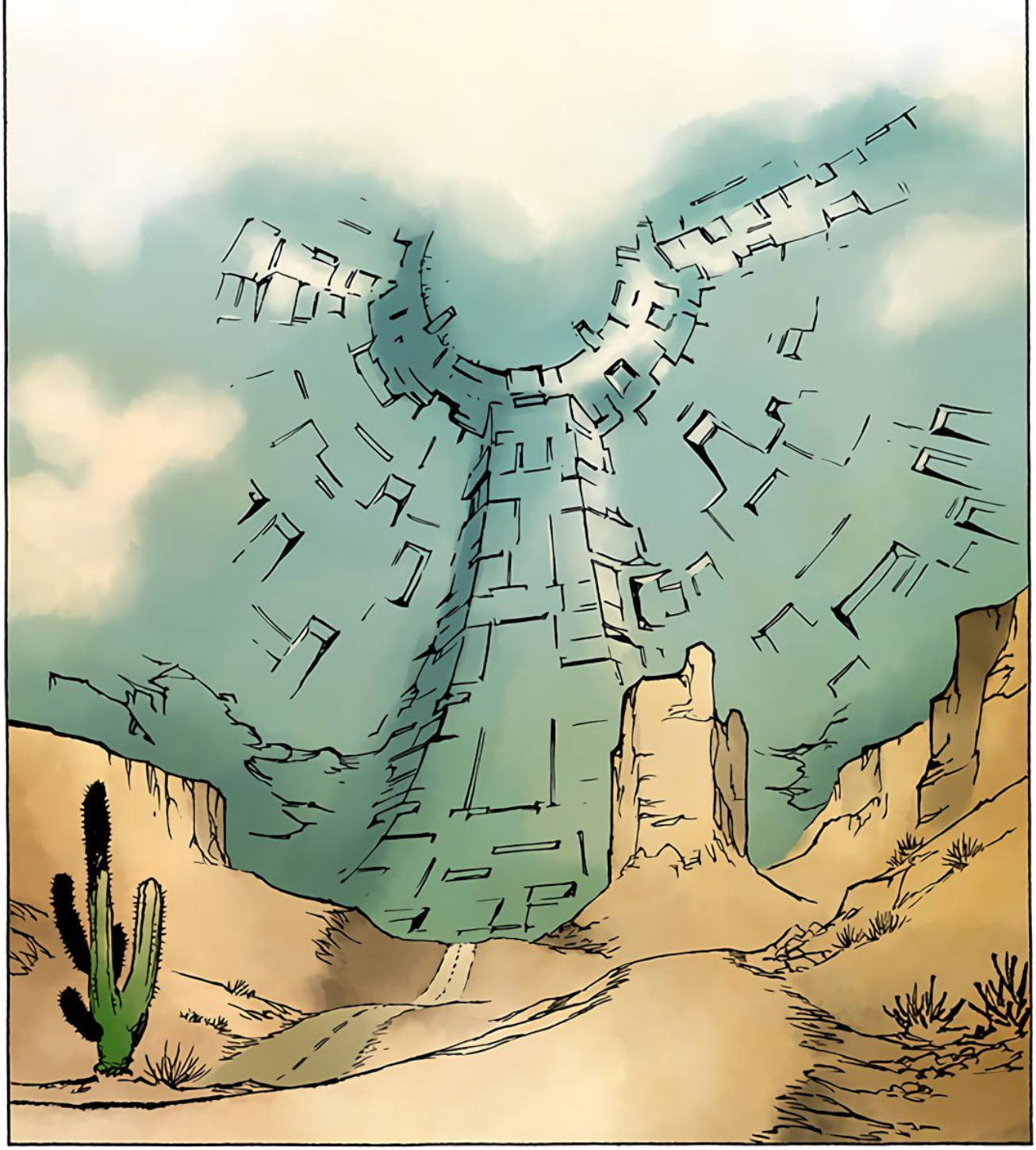
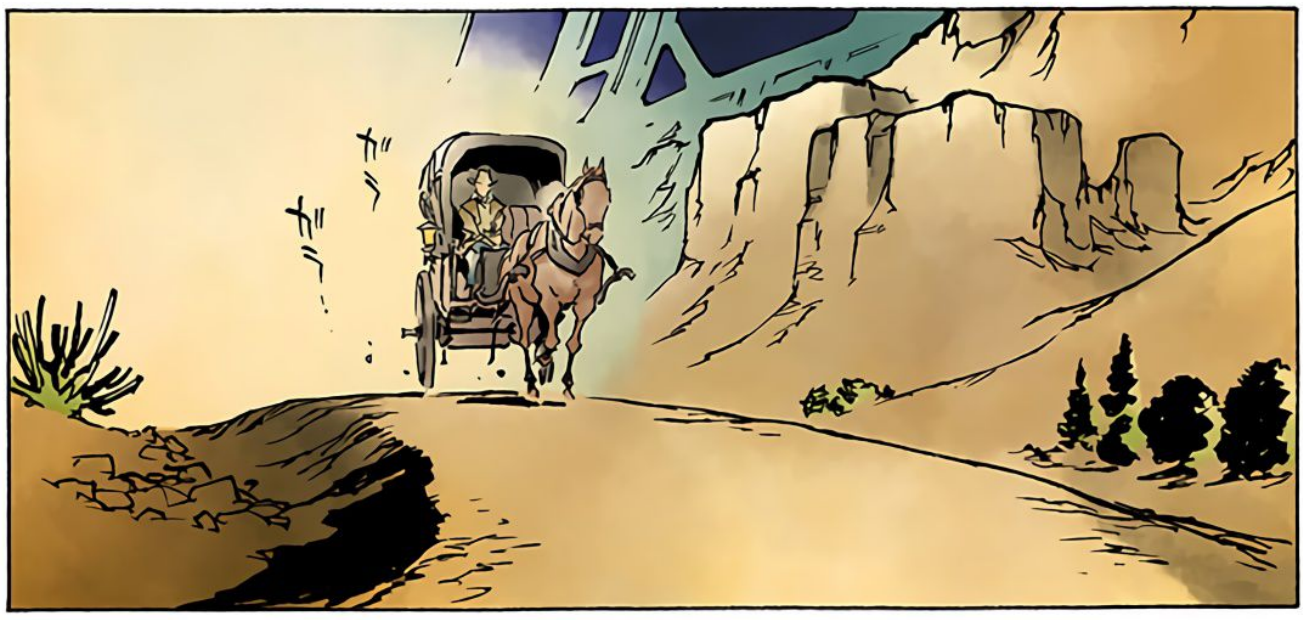
SIR, I'VE BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH AN X-ANTIBODY ANOMALY. I HAVE A MEDICAL EXEMPTION TO WEAR VISORS WHENEVER THE GAMMA RADIATION VALUE EXCEEDS A SET—
CHAR AZ-NABLE!
SQUAD TWO SQUAD LEADER
AND WHAT THE HELL ARE THOSE?!
OFF WITH THOSE SUN-SHADES!

...
...
SURE ISN'T !
IT'S NOT AGAINST SCHOOL REGULA-TIONS.
PICK UP HIS VISOR !
HE HASN'T BROKEN ANY RULE.

PICK IT UP!
PICK IT UP!
SQUAD THREE SQUAD LEADER, GARMA ZABI, SIR!
SIR!


YES, ADMIT IT!!
THERE IS NO REGU-LATION YOU COULD CITE.
YOU SHOULD PICK UP HIS VISOR AND ADMIT YOUR ERROR.
...
SIR.
PLEASE ADMIT YOUR ERROR.
I
IN-SIST !!

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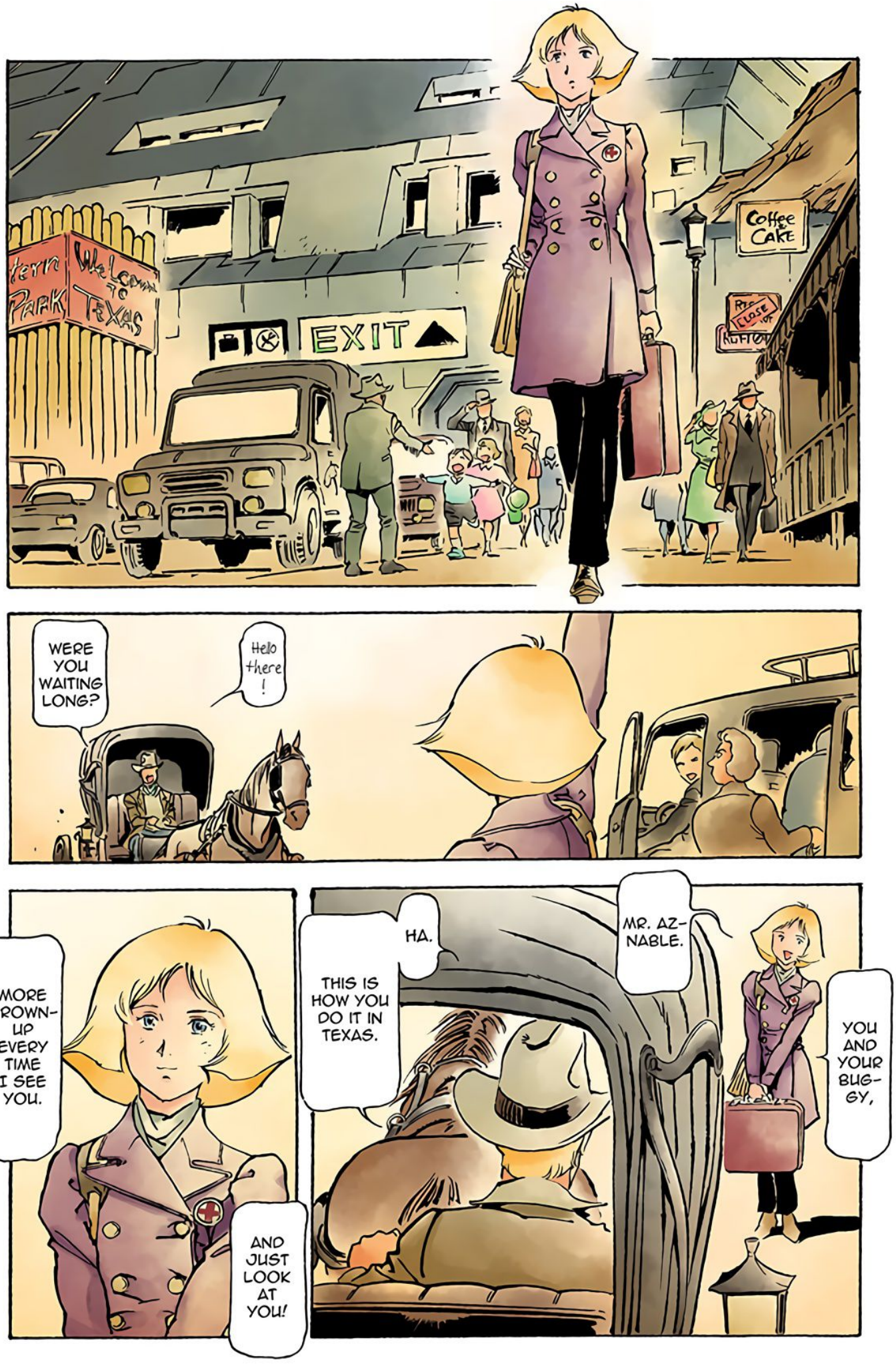
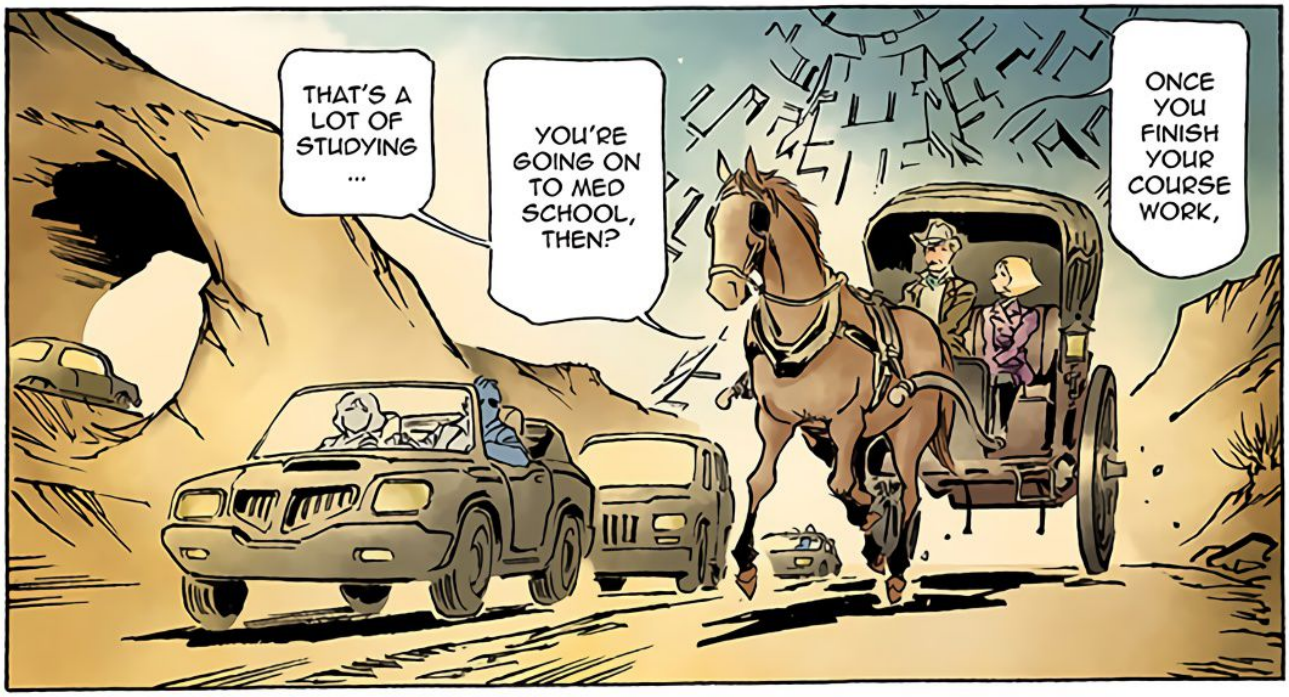
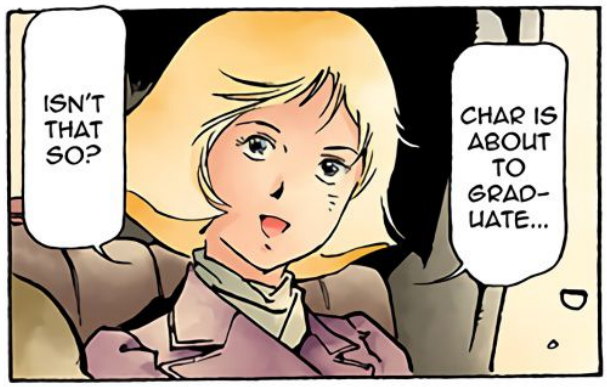
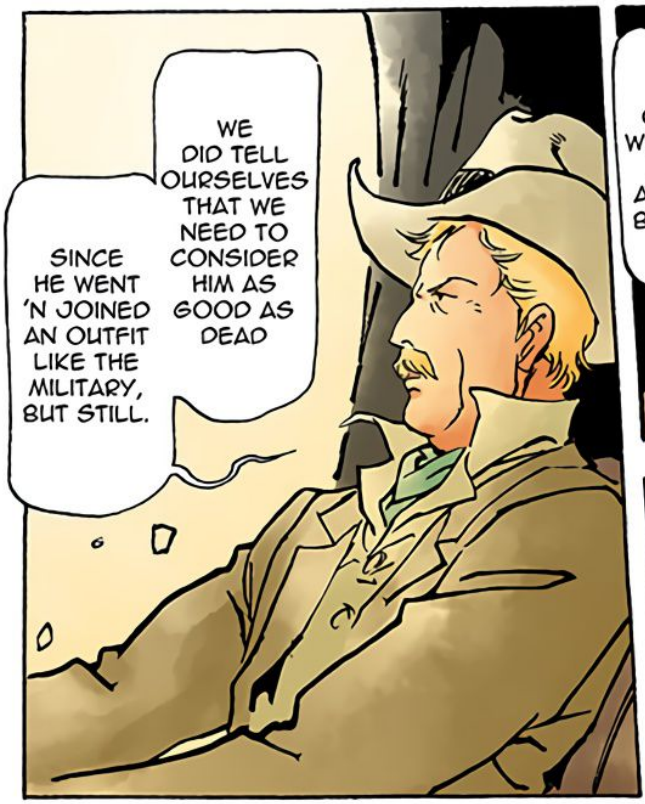
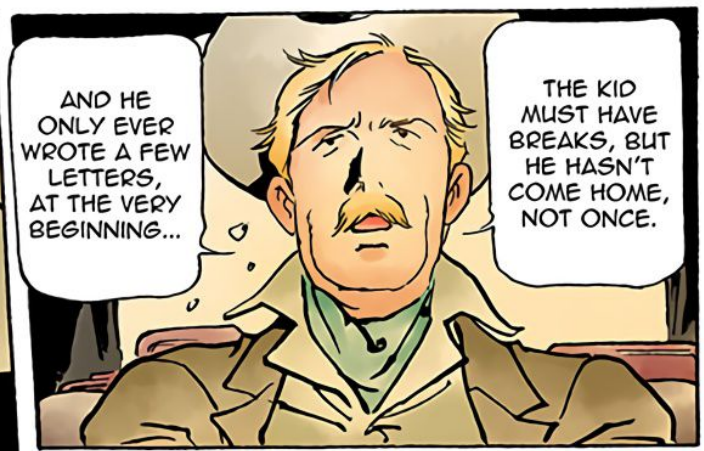

EXIT
Coffee & CAKE
WERE YOU WAITING LONG?
Hello there!
MORE GROWN-UP EVERY TIME I SEE YOU.
AND JUST LOOK AT YOU!
HA.
THIS IS HOW YOU DO IT IN TEXAS.
MR. AZ-NABLE.
YOU AND YOUR BUG-GY,

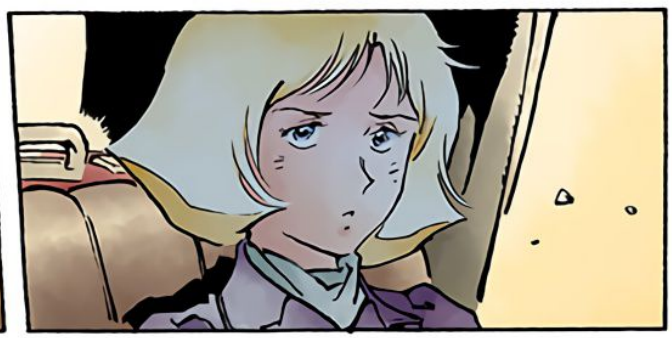

ONCE YOU FINISH YOUR COURSE WORK,
YOU'RE GOING ON TO MED SCHOOL, THEN?
THAT'S A LOT OF STUDYING ...

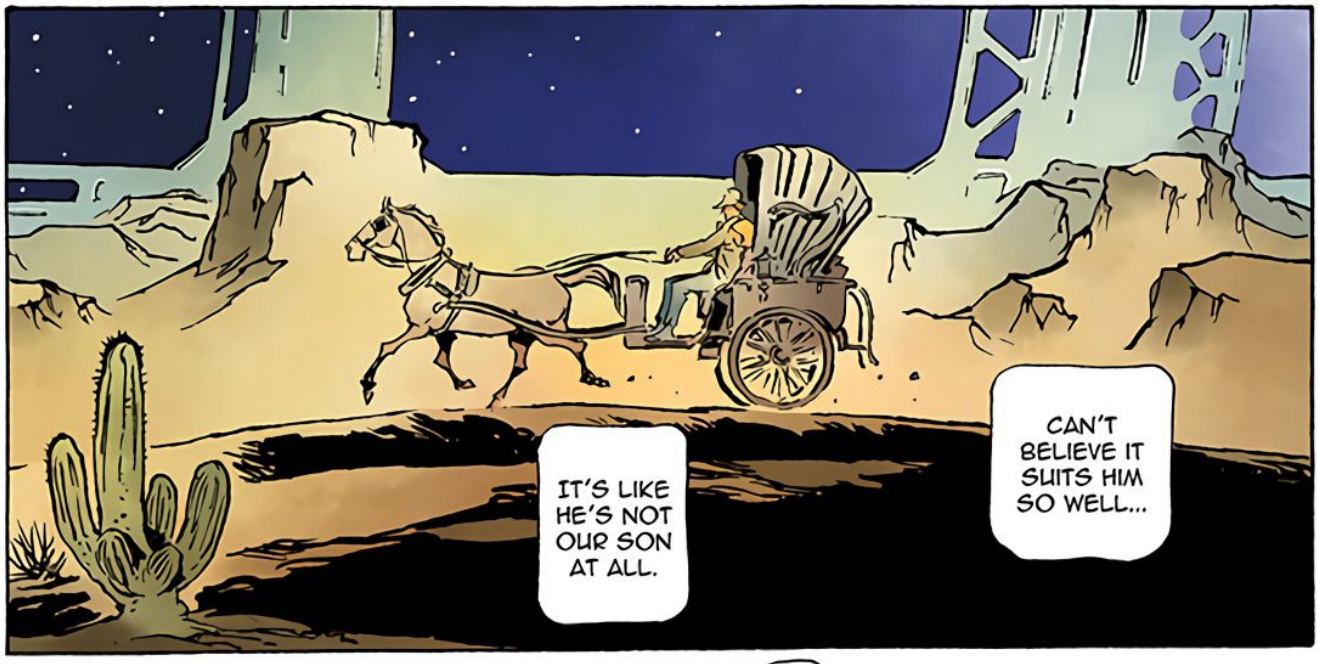
WELL, ABOUT HIM...
I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT HE'S UP TO.

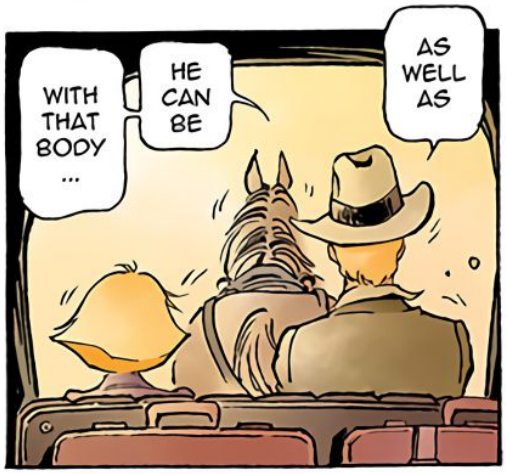

CHAR IS ABOUT TO GRAD-UATE...
ISN'T THAT SO?


WE DID TELL OURSELVES THAT WE NEED TO CONSIDER HIM AS GOOD AS DEAD
SINCE HE WENT 'N JOINED AN OUTFIT LIKE THE MILITARY, BUT STILL.

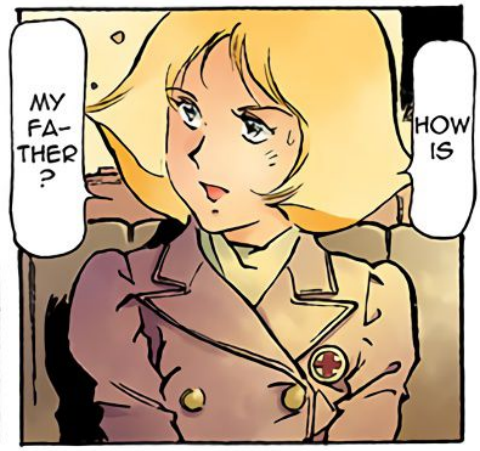

THE KID MUST HAVE BREAKS, BUT HE HASN'T COME HOME, NOT ONCE.
AND HE ONLY EVER WROTE A FEW LETTERS, AT THE VERY BEGINNING...



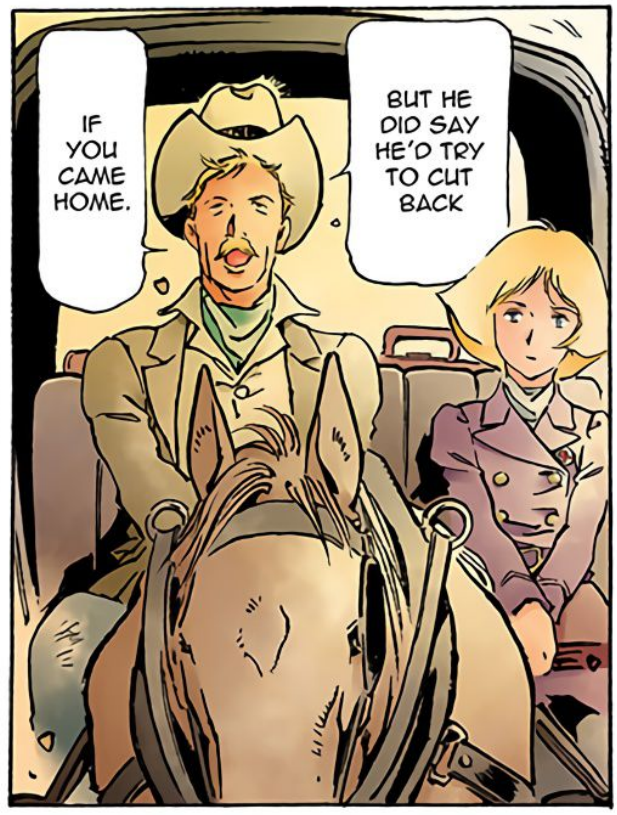

IT'S LIKE HE'S NOT OUR SON AT ALL.
CAN'T BELIEVE IT SUITS HIM SO WELL...

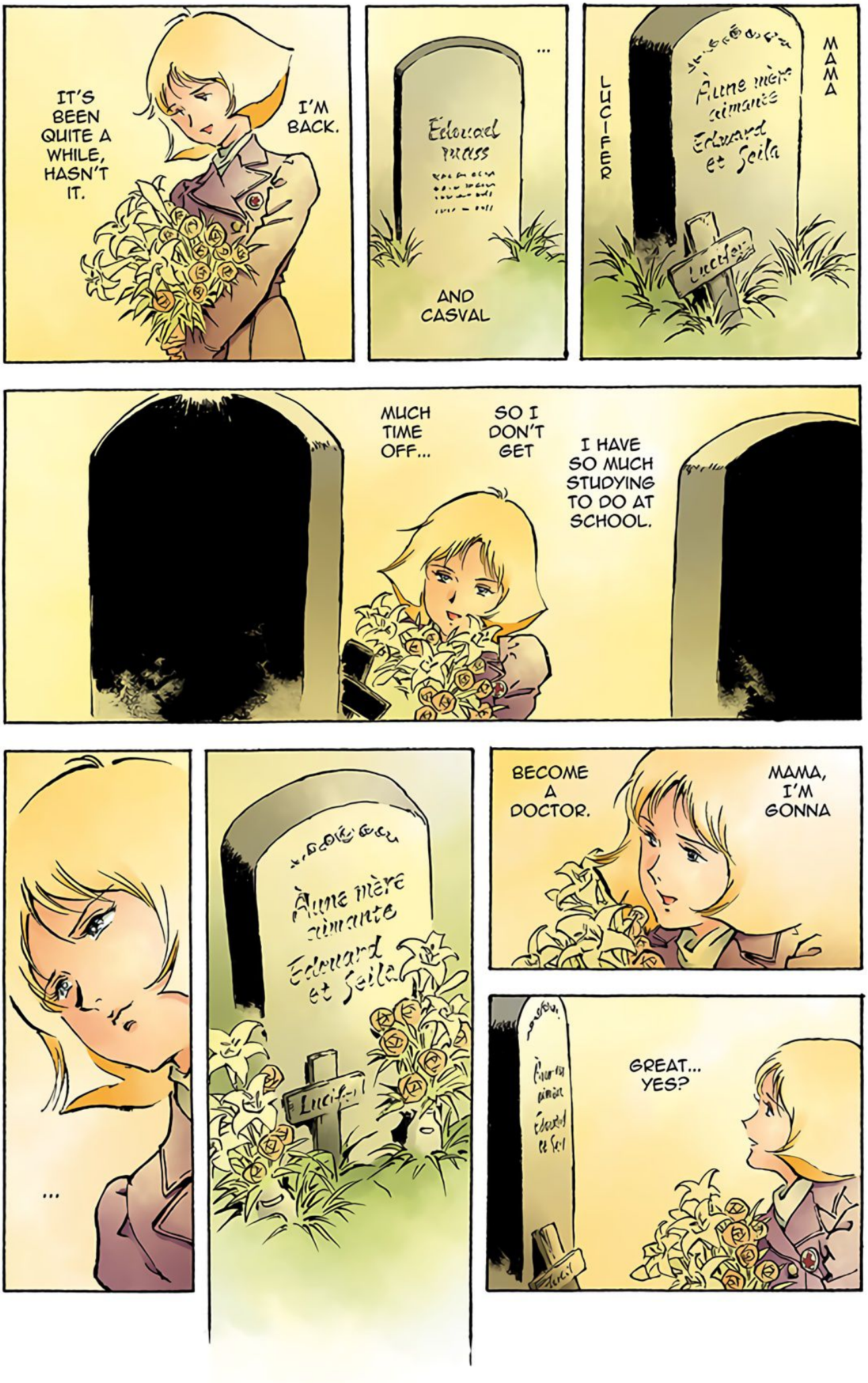

WITH THAT BODY ...
HE CAN BE
AS WELL AS

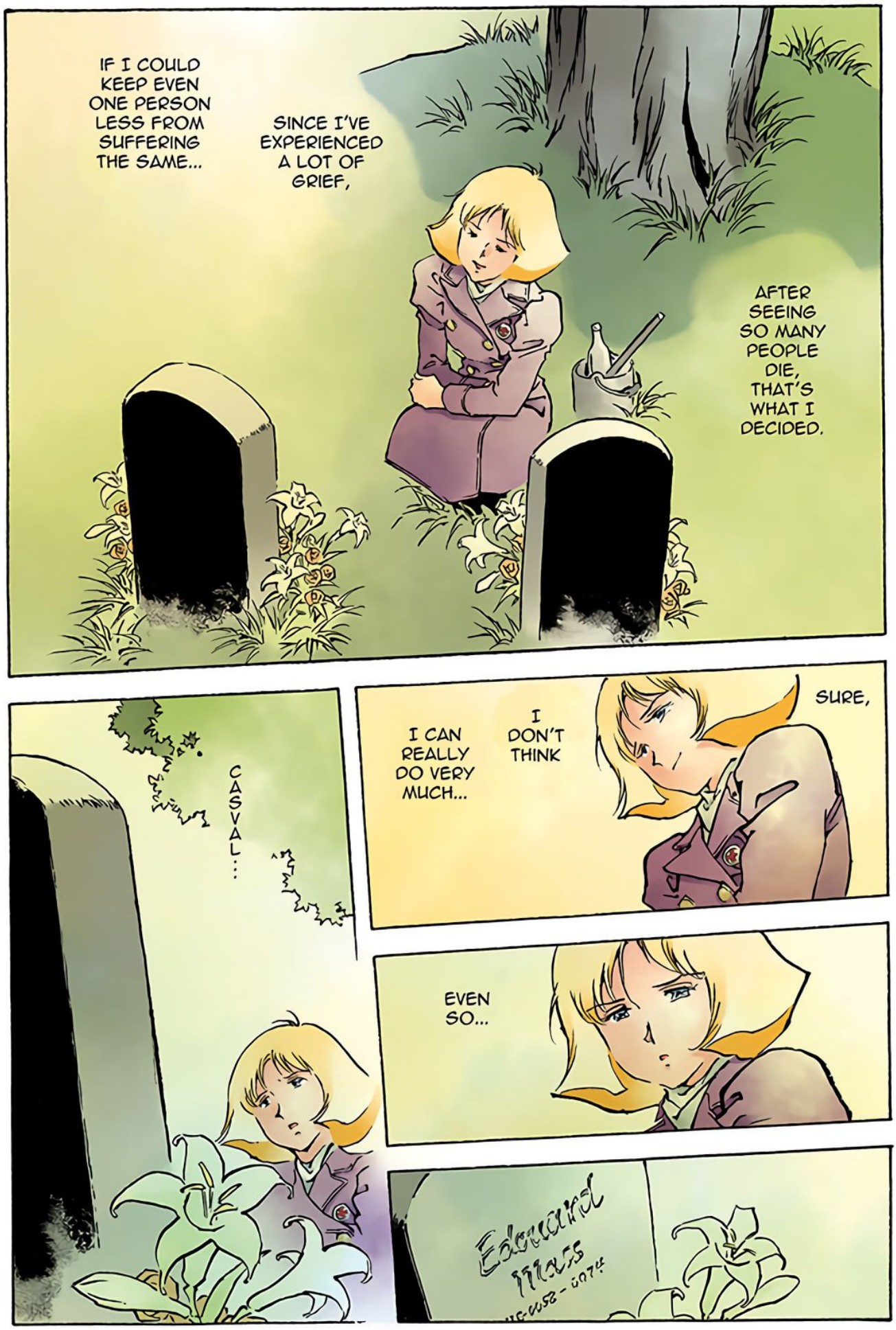
OH,
HE'S DOING QUITE WELL.

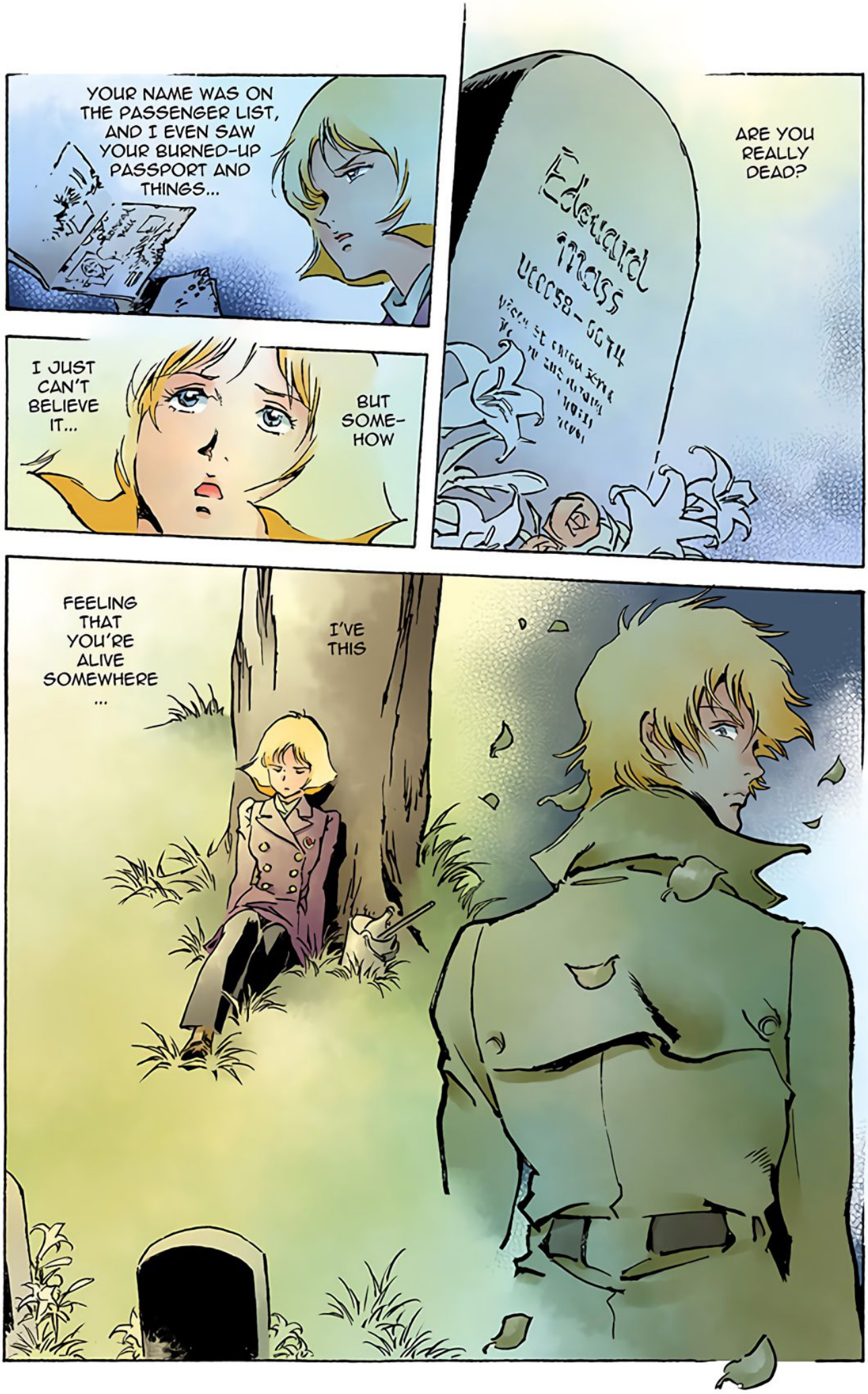

MY FA-THER?
HOW IS

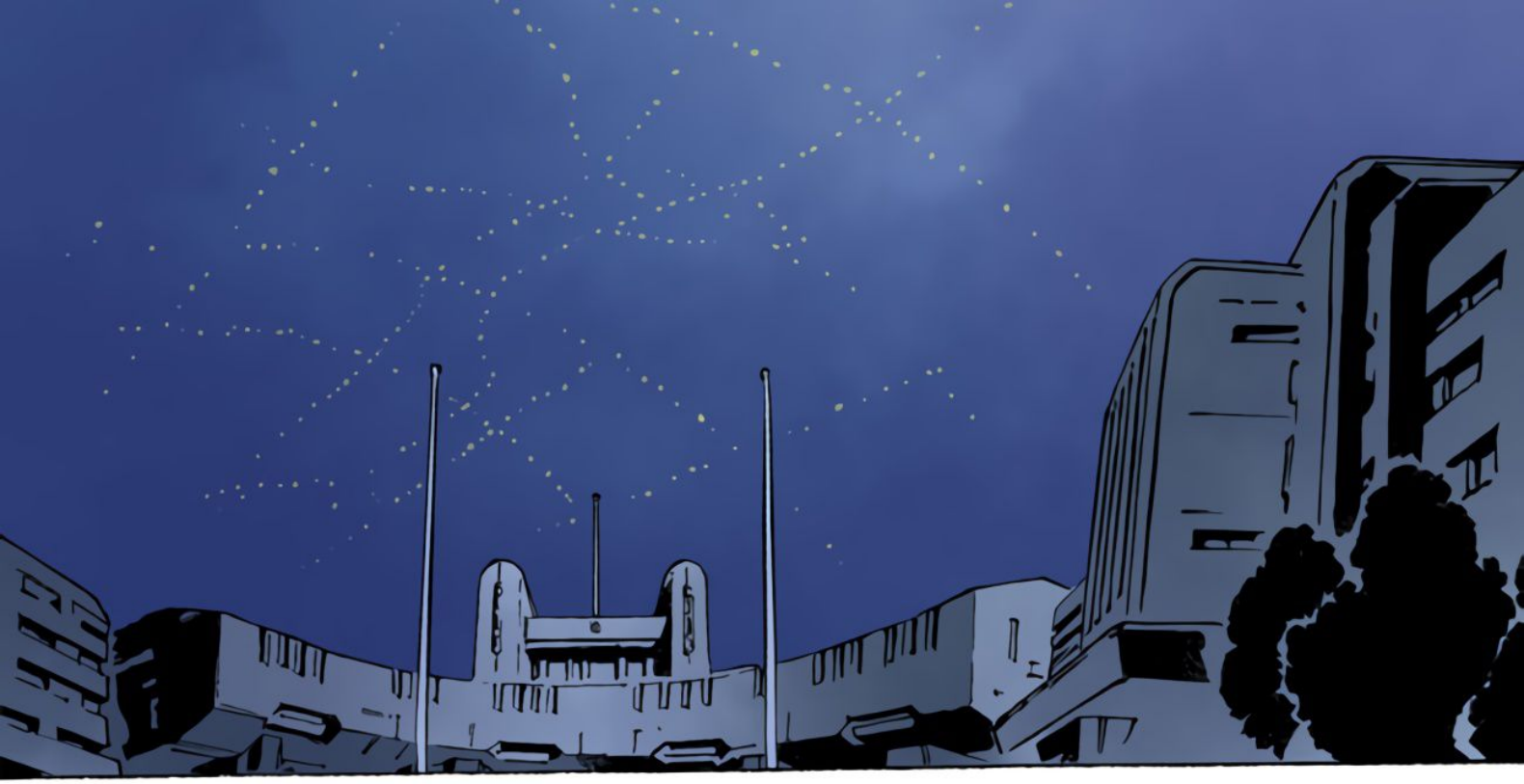
GIVE HIM A PIECE OF YOUR MIND.
YOU'RE GOING TO BE A DOCTOR, AFTER ALL.


IF YOU CAME HOME.
BUT HE DID SAY HE'D TRY TO CUT BACK


IT'S BEEN QUITE A WHILE, HASN'T IT.
I'M BACK.
...
AND CASVAL
MAMA
LUCIFER
MUCH TIME OFF...
SO I DON'T GET
I HAVE SO MUCH STUDYING TO DO AT SCHOOL.
...
BECOME A DOCTOR.
MAMA, I'M GONNA
GREAT... YES?


IF I COULD KEEP EVEN ONE PERSON LESS FROM SUFFERING THE SAME...
SINCE I'VE EXPERIENCED A LOT OF GRIEF,
AFTER SEEING SO MANY PEOPLE DIE, THAT'S WHAT I DECIDED.
CASVAL...
I CAN REALLY DO VERY MUCH...
I DON'T THINK
SURE,
EVEN SO...


YOUR NAME WAS ON THE PASSENGER LIST, AND I EVEN SAW YOUR BURNED-UP PASSPORT AND THINGS...
ARE YOU REALLY DEAD?
I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE IT...
BUT SOME-HOW
FEELING THAT YOU'RE ALIVE SOMEWHERE ...
I'VE THIS



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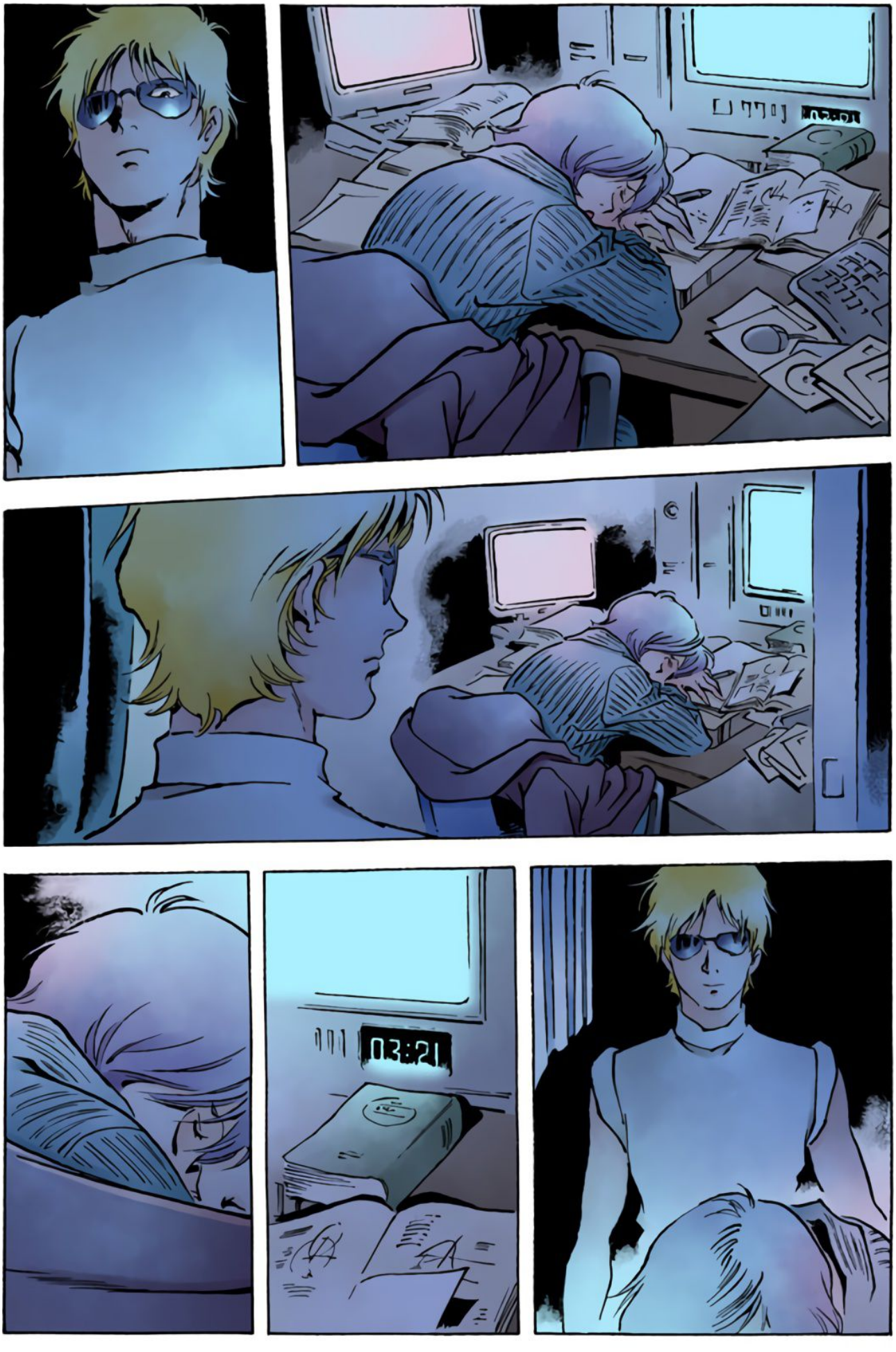
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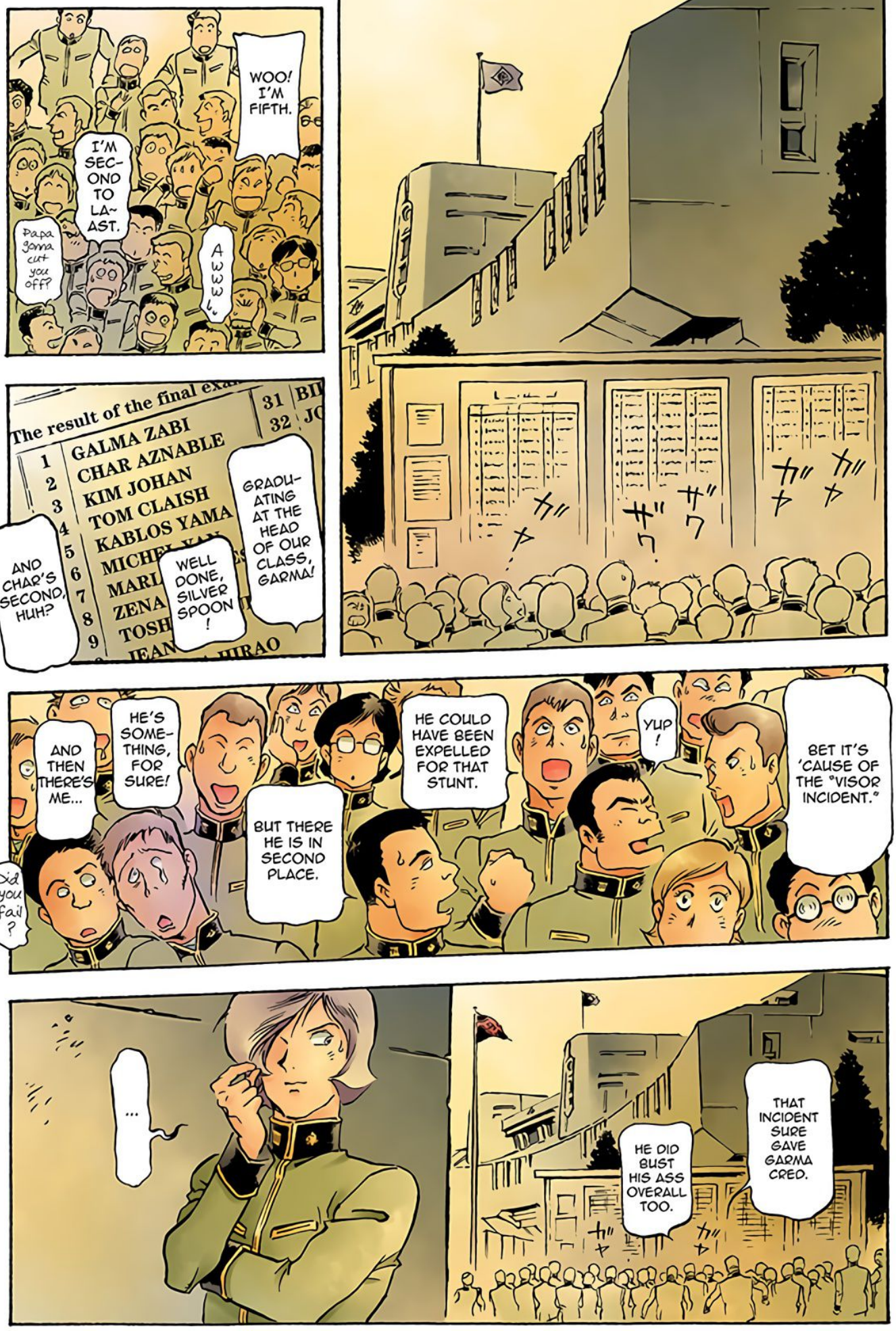
Mm...


WOO! I'M FIFTH.
I'M SEC-OND TO LA~AST.
Papa gonna cut you off?
AWWW.
The result of the final exa
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1 GALMA ZABI
2 CHAR AZNABLE
3 KIM JOHAN
4 TOM CLAISH
5 KABLOS YAMA
6 MICHE
7 MARI
8 ZENA
9 TOSH
JEAN HIRAO
GRADU-ATING AT THE HEAD OF OUR CLASS, GARMA!
WELL DONE, SILVER SPOON!
AND CHAR'S SECOND, HUH?
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Did you fail?
AND THEN THERE'S ME...
HE'S SOME-THING, FOR SURE!
BUT THERE HE IS IN SECOND PLACE.
HE COULD HAVE BEEN EXPELLED FOR THAT STUNT.
YUP!
BET IT'S 'CAUSE OF THE "VISOR INCIDENT."
...
THAT INCIDENT SURE GAVE GARMA CRED.
HE DID BUST HIS ASS OVERALL TOO.
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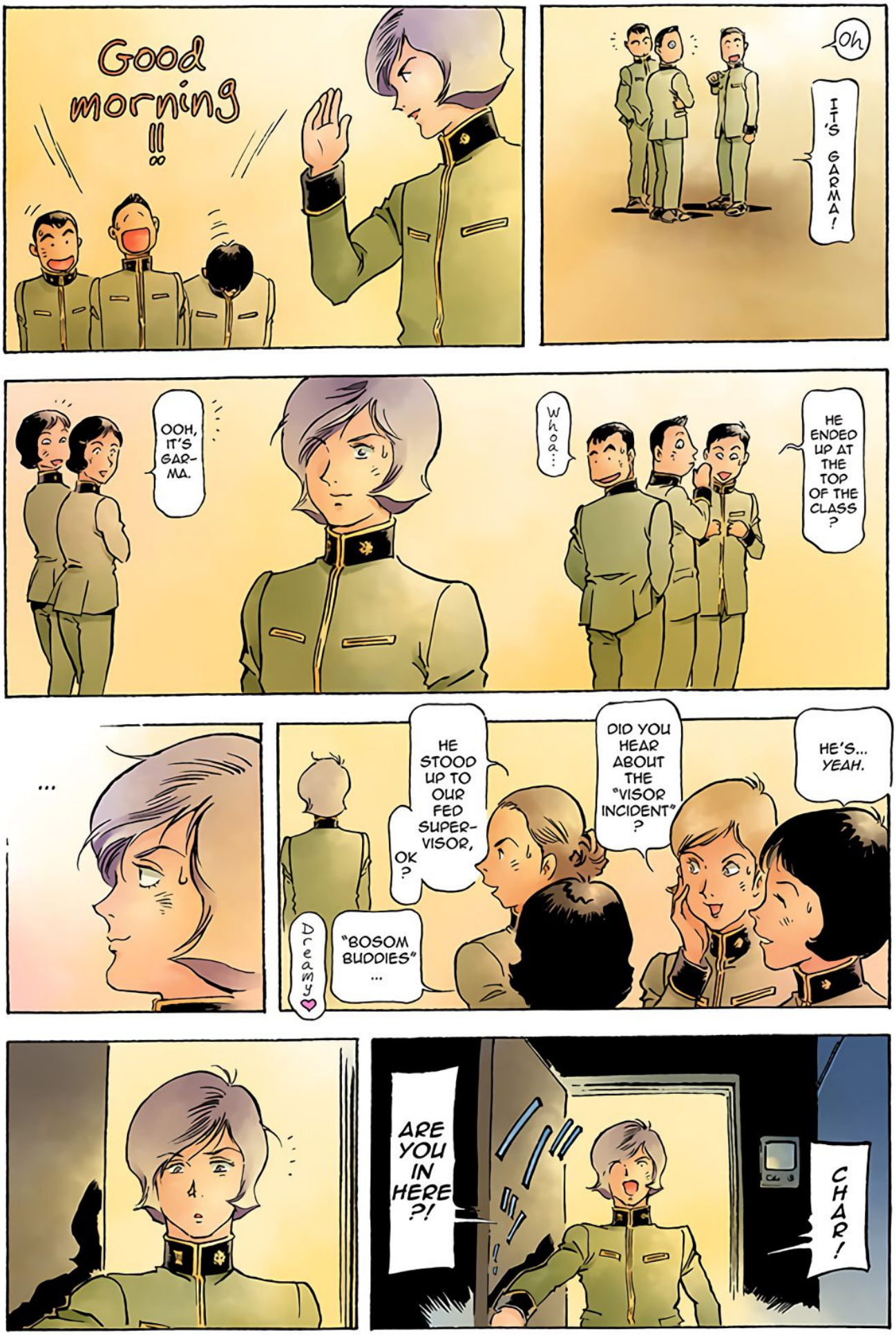
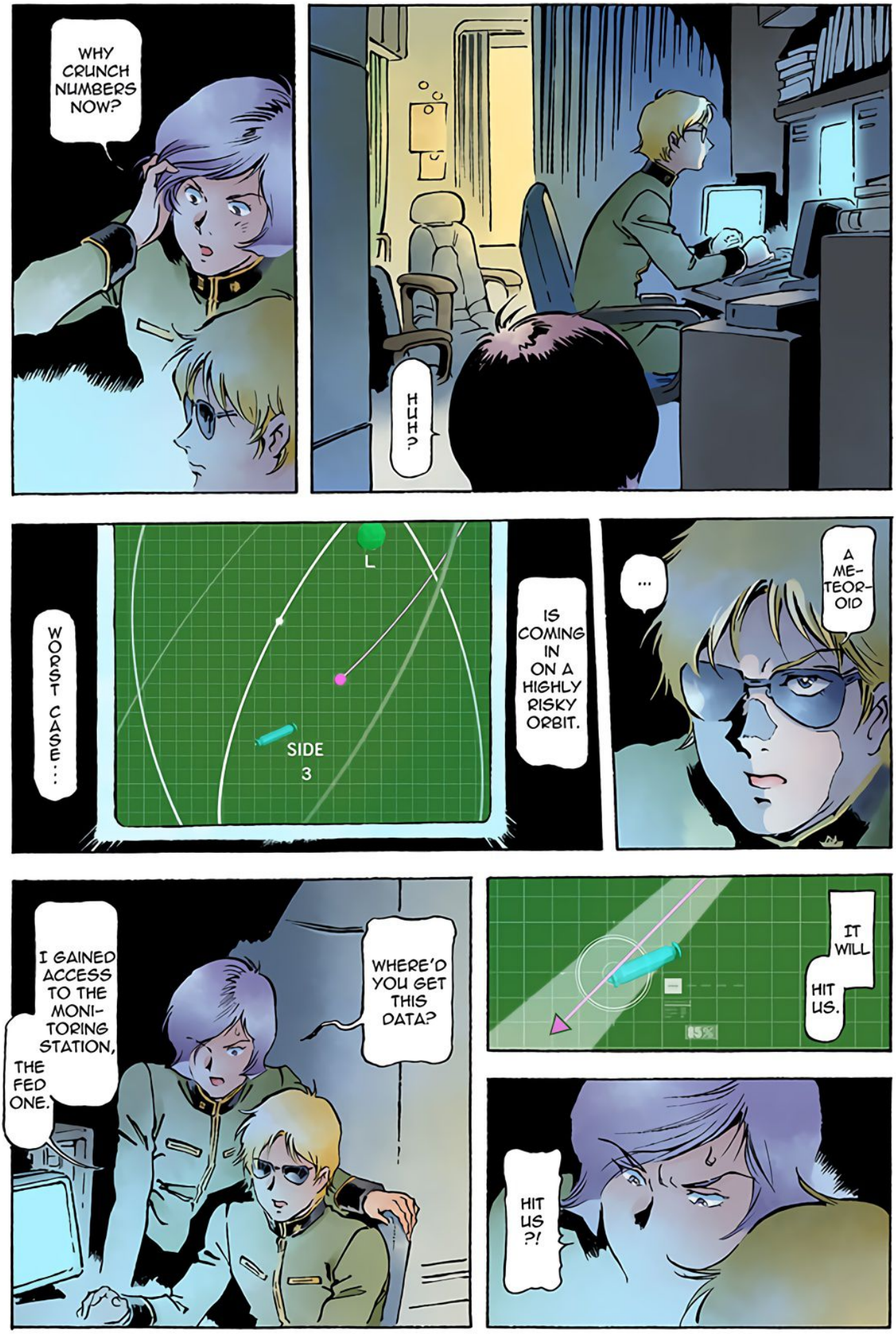
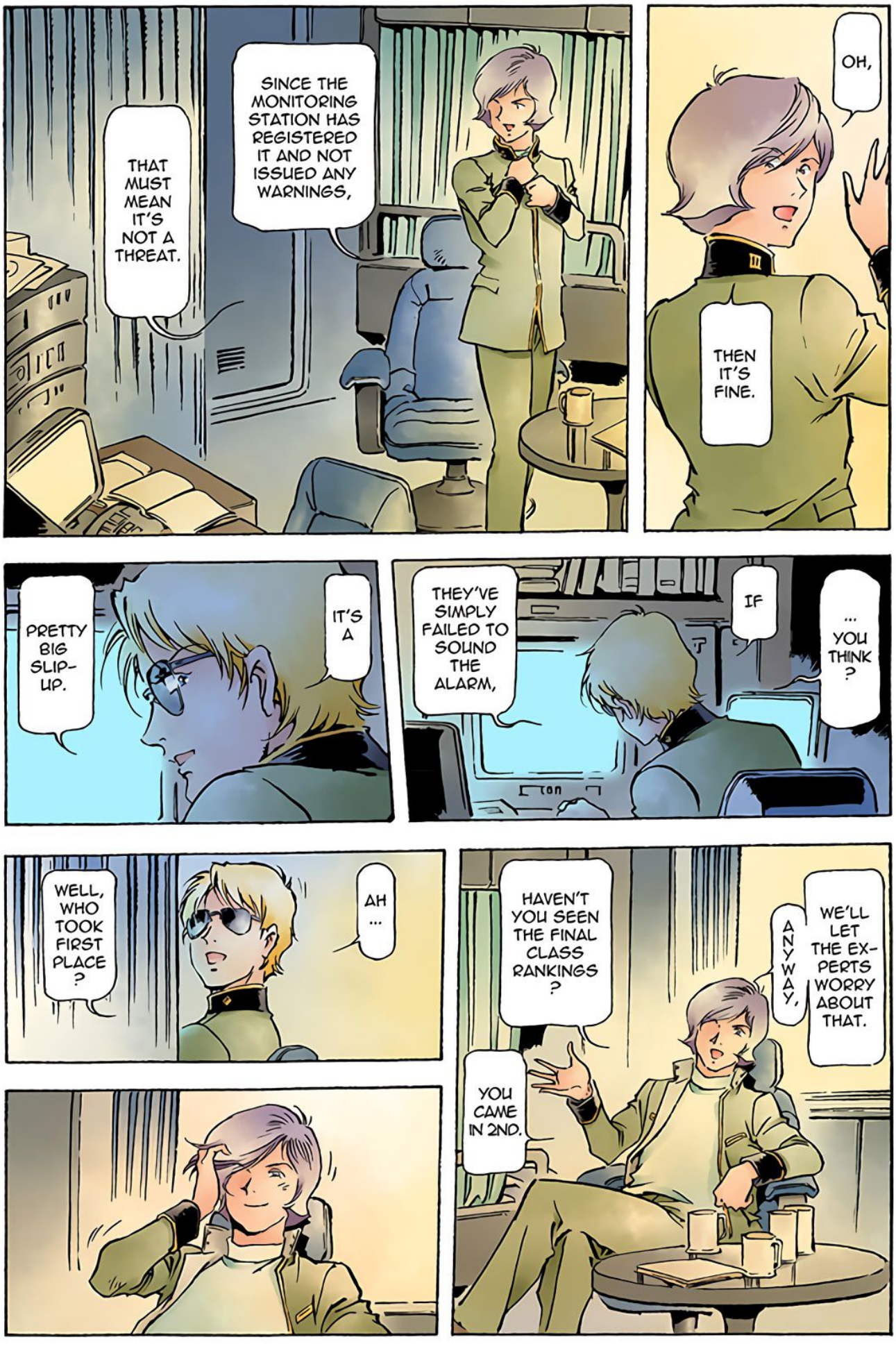
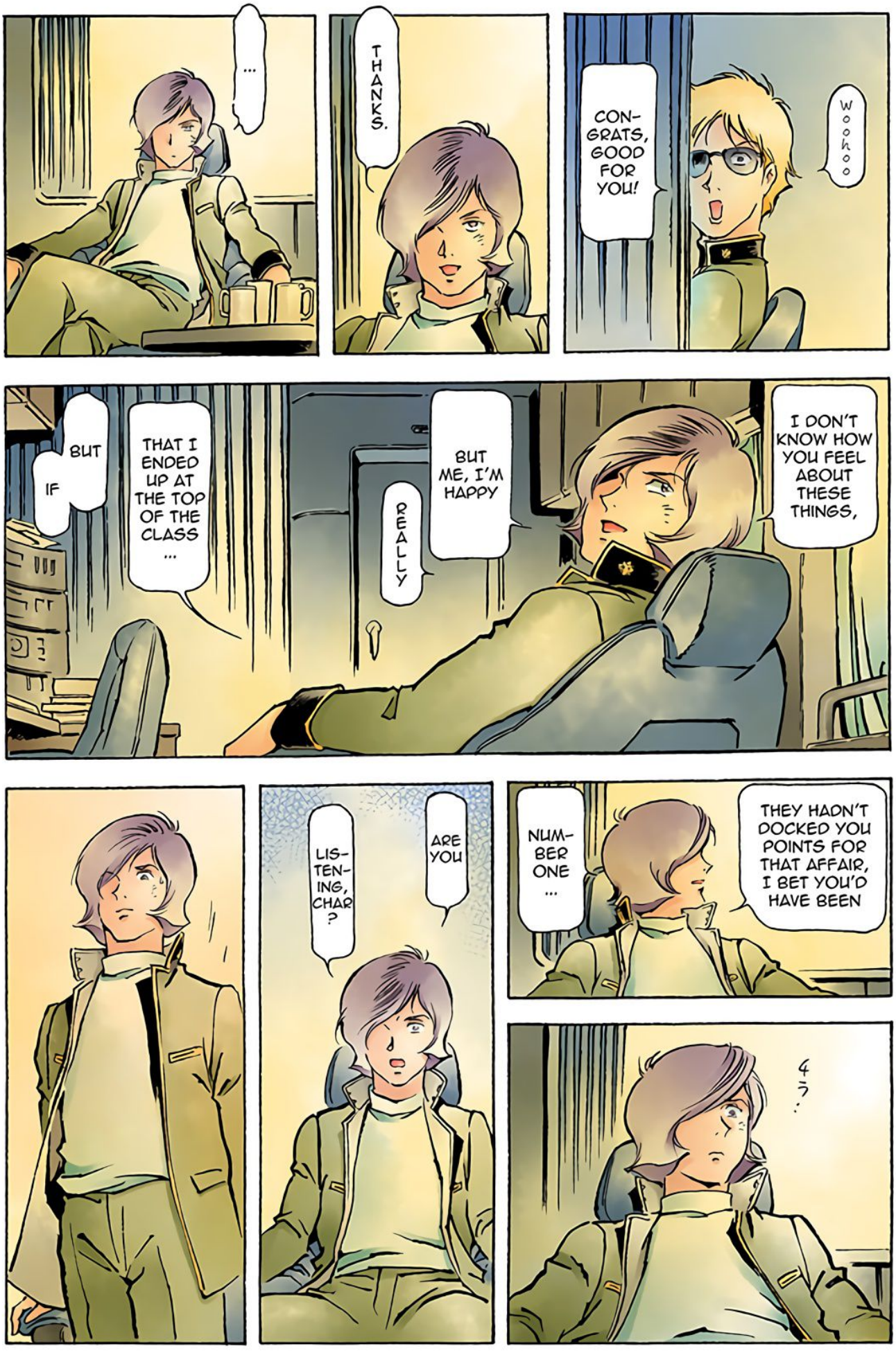

Good morning!!
Oh
IT'S GARMA!
OOH, IT'S GAR-MA.
Whoa...
HE ENDED UP AT THE TOP OF THE CLASS?
...
HE STOOD UP TO OUR FED SUPER-VISOR, OK?
DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE "VISOR INCIDENT"?
HE'S... YEAH.
Dreamy♥
"BOSOM BUDDIES"...
ARE YOU IN HERE?!
CHAR!


WHY CRUNCH NUMBERS NOW?
HUH?
L
SIDE 3
WORST CASE...
IS COMING IN ON A HIGHLY RISKY ORBIT.
...
A METEOROID
I GAINED ACCESS TO THE MONITORING STATION, THE FED ONE.
WHERE'D YOU GET THIS DATA?
IT WILL HIT US.
HIT US?!


SINCE THE MONITORING STATION HAS REGISTERED IT AND NOT ISSUED ANY WARNINGS,
THAT MUST MEAN IT'S NOT A THREAT.
OH,
THEN IT'S FINE.
IT'S A
PRETTY BIG SLIP-UP.
THEY'VE SIMPLY FAILED TO SOUND THE ALARM,
IF
... YOU THINK ?
AH ...
WELL, WHO TOOK FIRST PLACE ?
HAVEN'T YOU SEEN THE FINAL CLASS RANKINGS ?
YOU CAME IN 2ND.
ANYWAY,
WE'LL LET THE EX-PERTS WORRY ABOUT THAT.


...
THANKS.
WOOHOO
CON-GRATS, GOOD FOR YOU!
I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU FEEL ABOUT THESE THINGS,
BUT ME, I'M HAPPY REALLY
THAT I ENDED UP AT THE TOP OF THE CLASS ...
BUT IF
THEY HADN'T DOCKED YOU POINTS FOR THAT AFFAIR, I BET YOU'D HAVE BEEN
NUM-BER ONE ...
ARE YOU LIS-TEN-ING, CHAR?
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HEY ...
CHAR, DID YOU
BY ANY CHANCE PULL THAT ON PURPOSE ?
PULL ?
UH HUH
YOU PROVOKED THAT FED MILITARY SUPERVI-SOR TO RECEIVE A BIASED SCORE—
SO THAT
I COULD BE NUMBER ONE!
Perfect
HA HA HA HA
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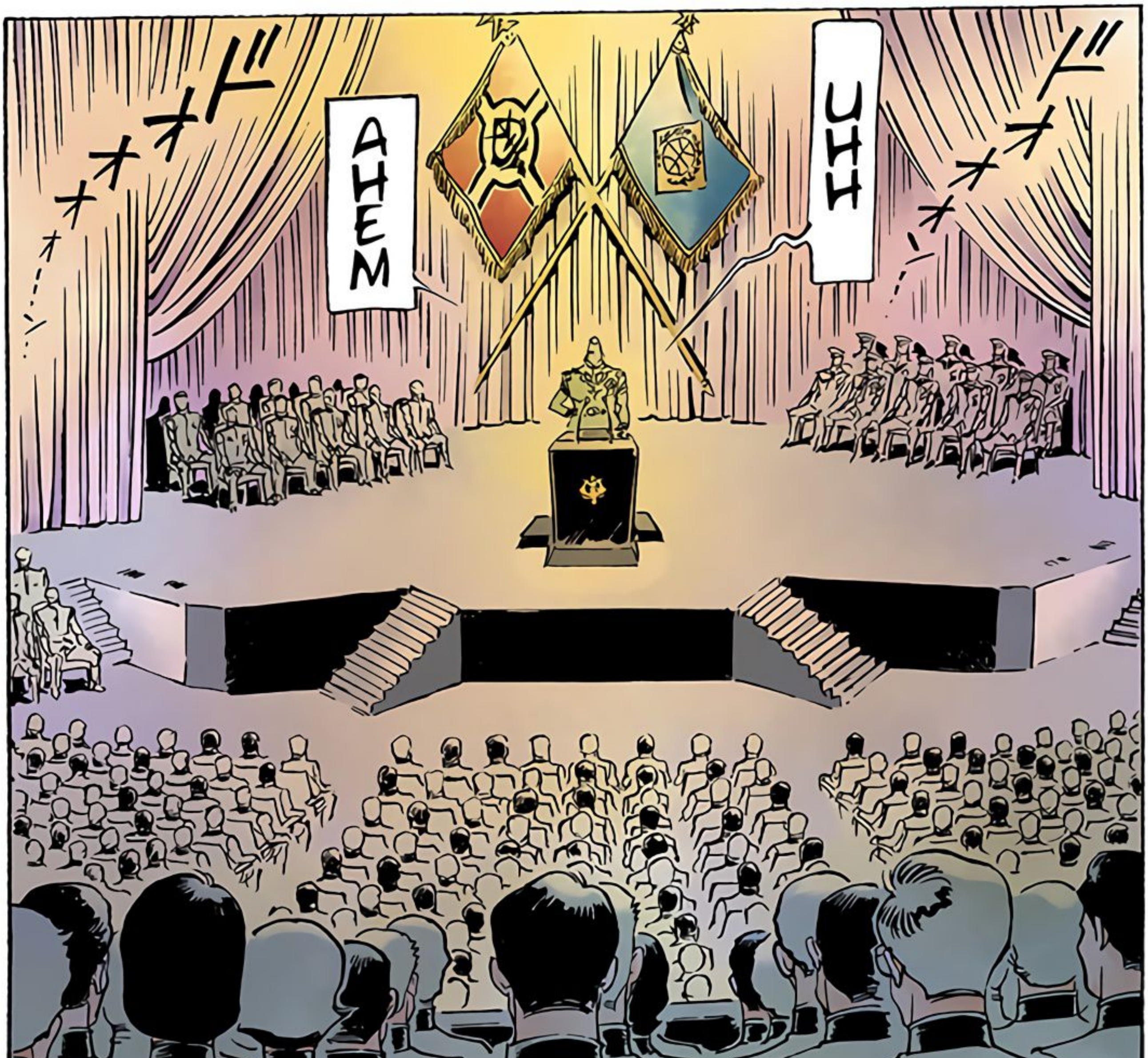
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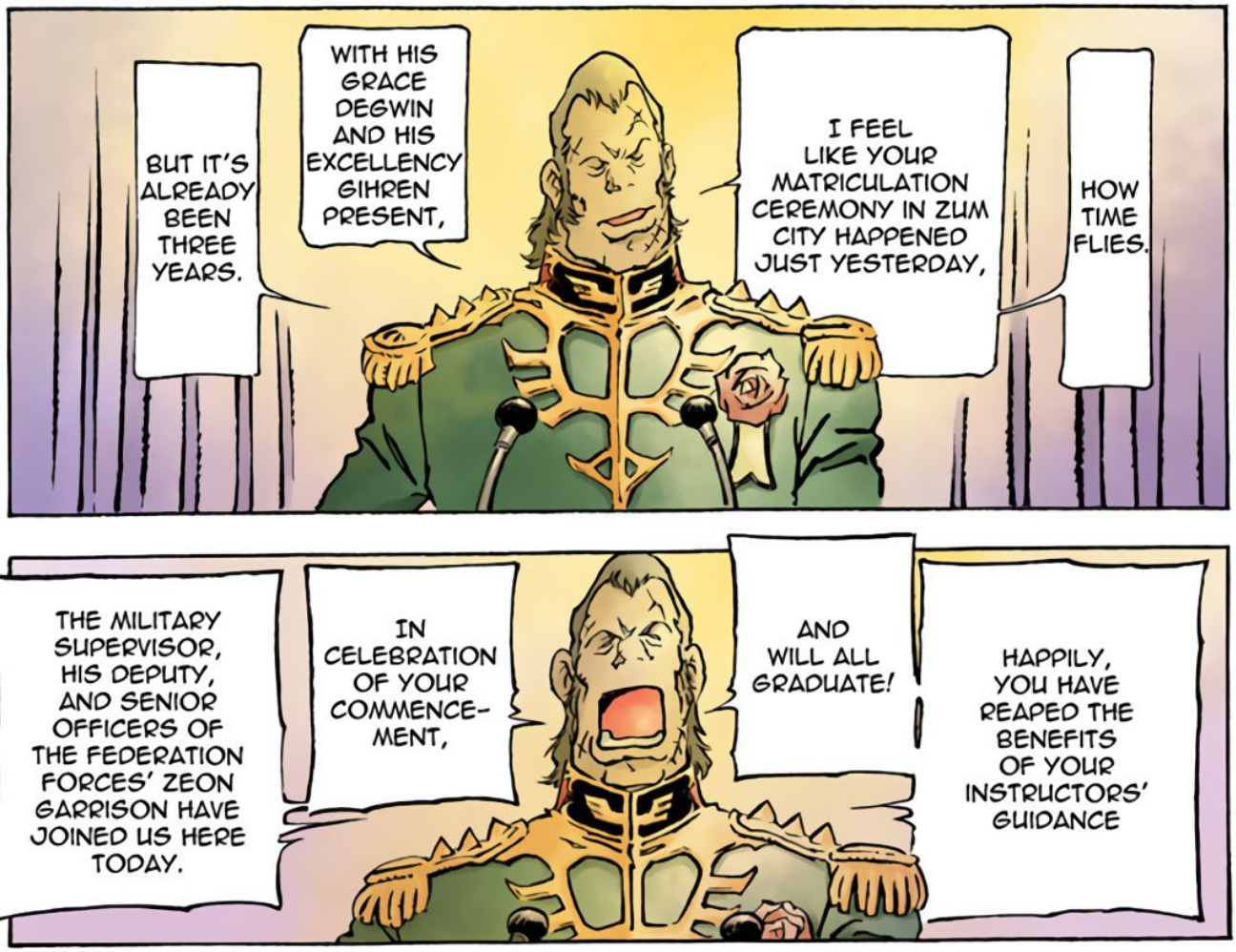
BUT IT'S ALREADY BEEN THREE YEARS.
WITH HIS GRACE DEGWIN AND HIS EXCELLENCY GIHREN PRESENT,
I FEEL LIKE YOUR MATRICULATION CEREMONY IN ZUM CITY HAPPENED JUST YESTERDAY,
HOW TIME FLIES.
THE MILITARY SUPERVISOR, HIS DEPUTY, AND SENIOR OFFICERS OF THE FEDERATION FORCES' ZEON GARRISON HAVE JOINED US HERE TODAY.
IN CELEBRATION OF YOUR COMMENCE-MENT,
AND WILL ALL GRADUATE!
HAPPILY, YOU HAVE REAPED THE BENEFITS OF YOUR INSTRUCTORS' GUIDANCE

QUIET !!

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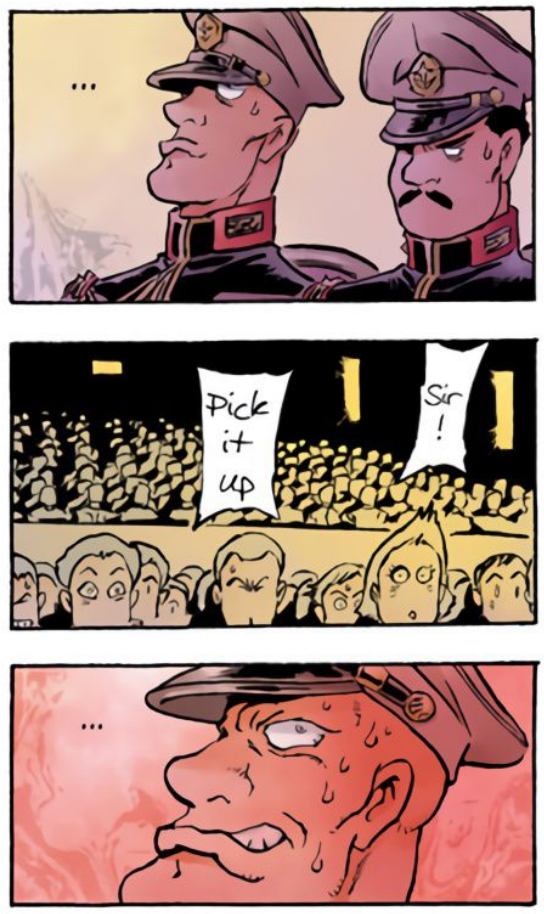
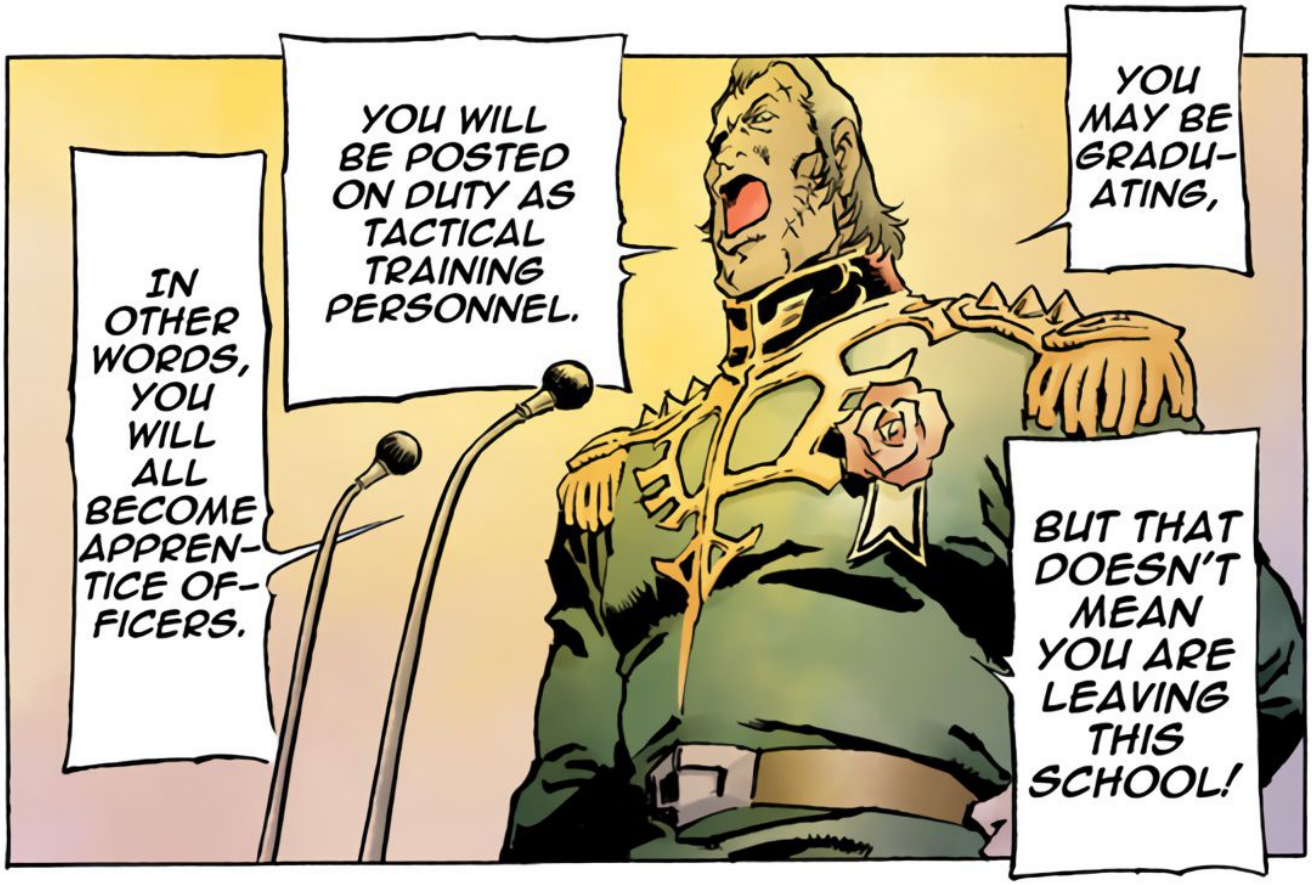
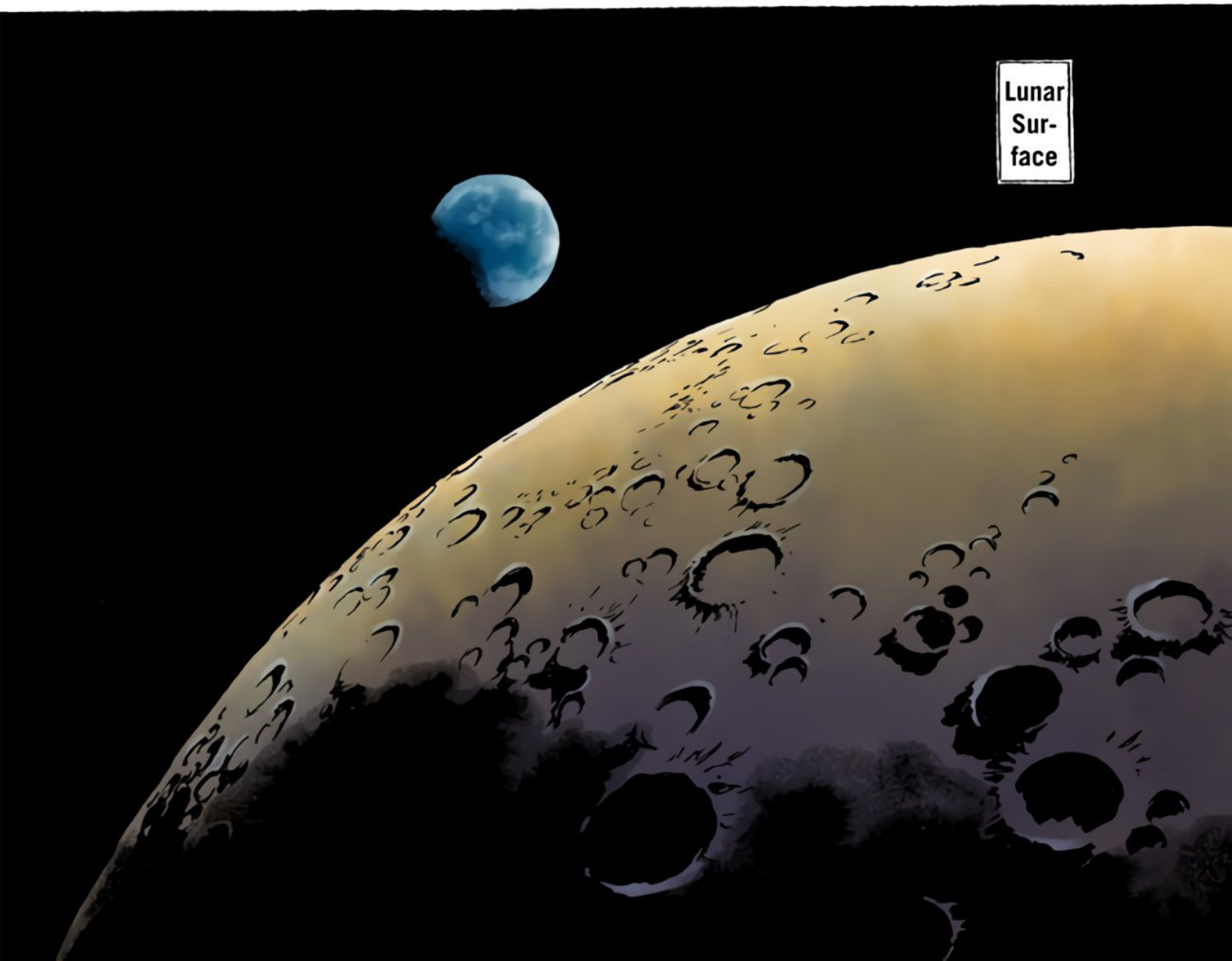

…
Pick it up
Sir !
…


YOU MAY BE GRADU-ATING,
YOU WILL BE POSTED ON DUTY AS TACTICAL TRAINING PERSONNEL.
IN OTHER WORDS, YOU WILL ALL BECOME APPREN-TICE OF-FICERS.
BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN YOU ARE LEAVING THIS SCHOOL!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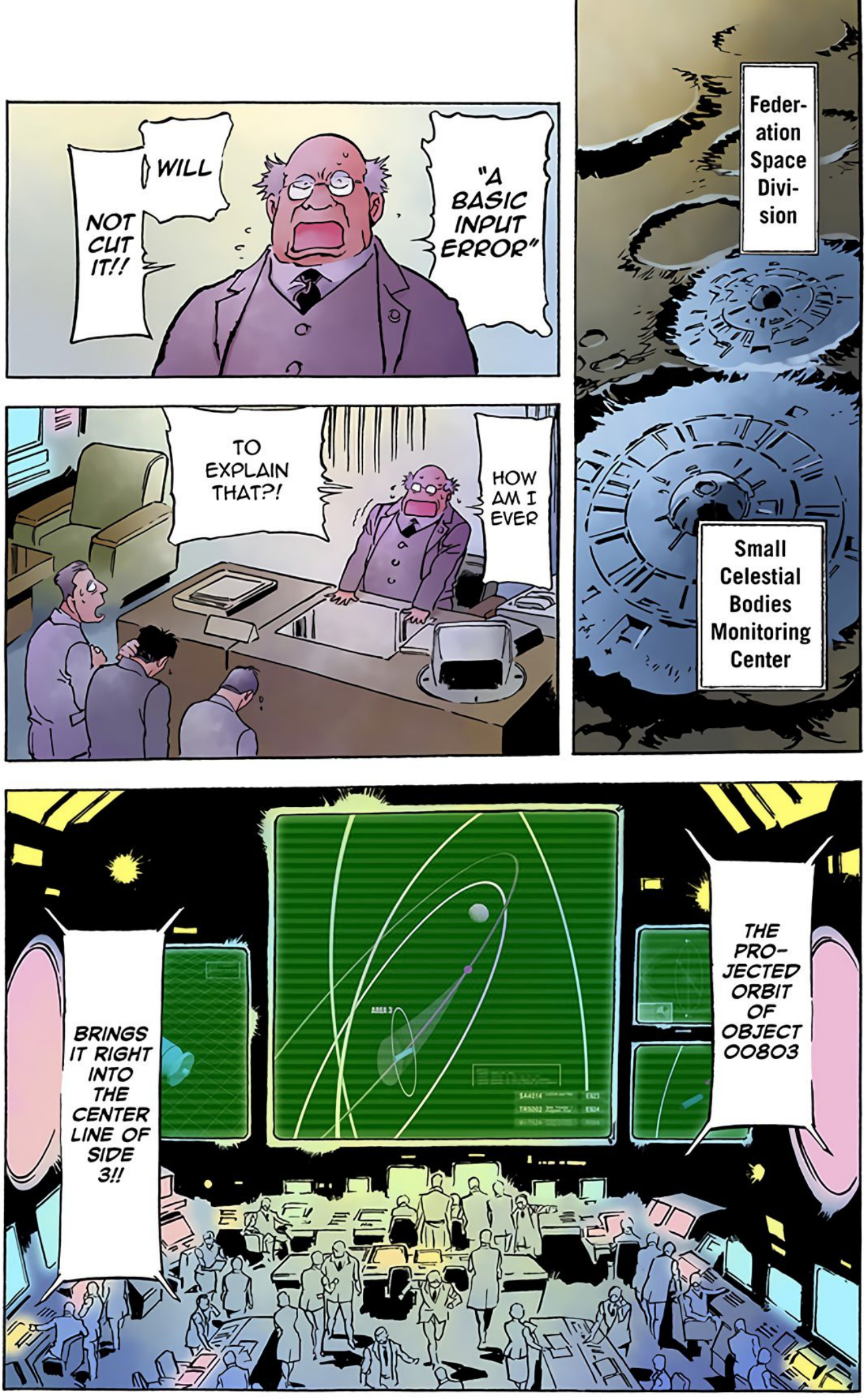
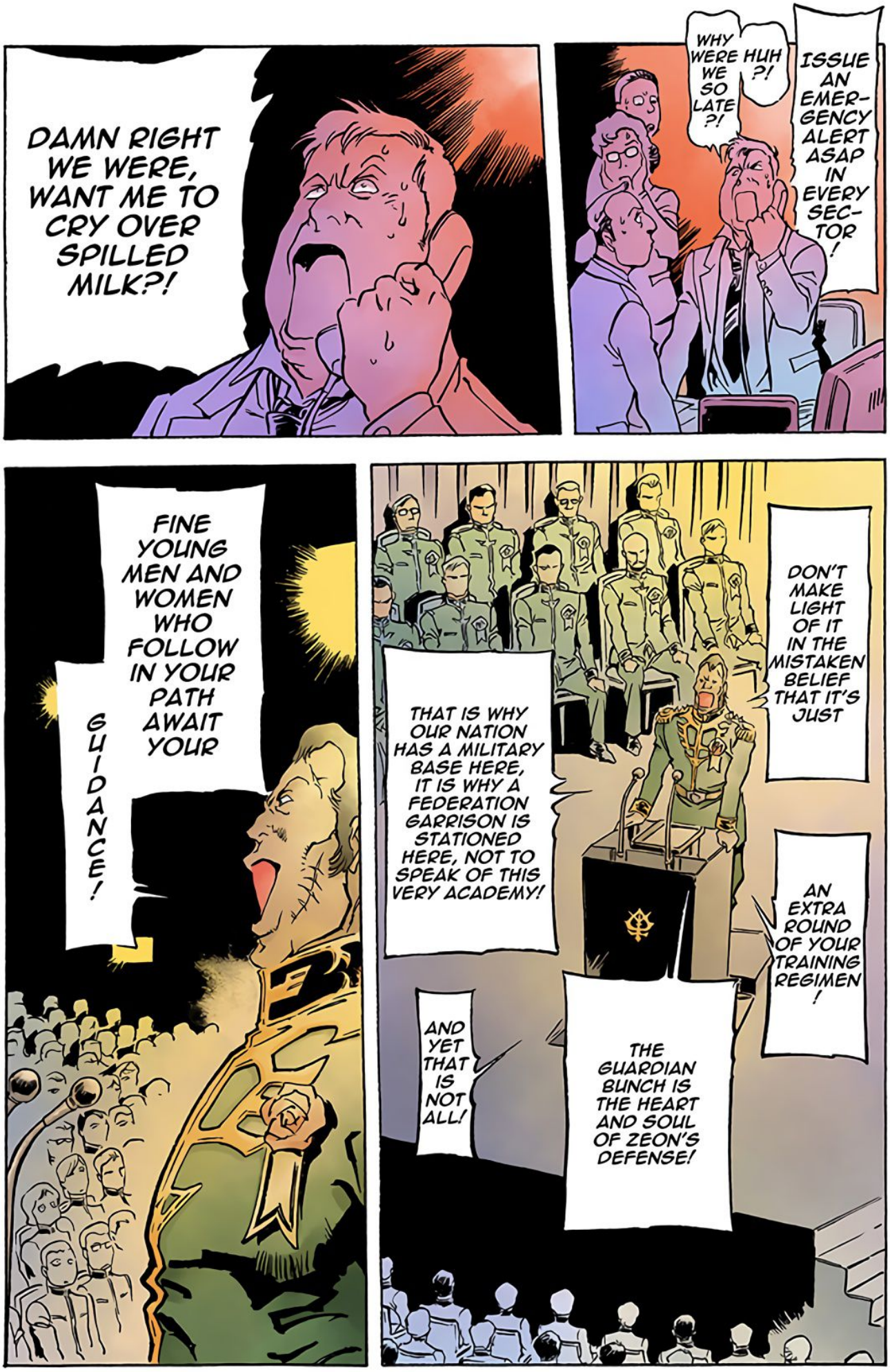
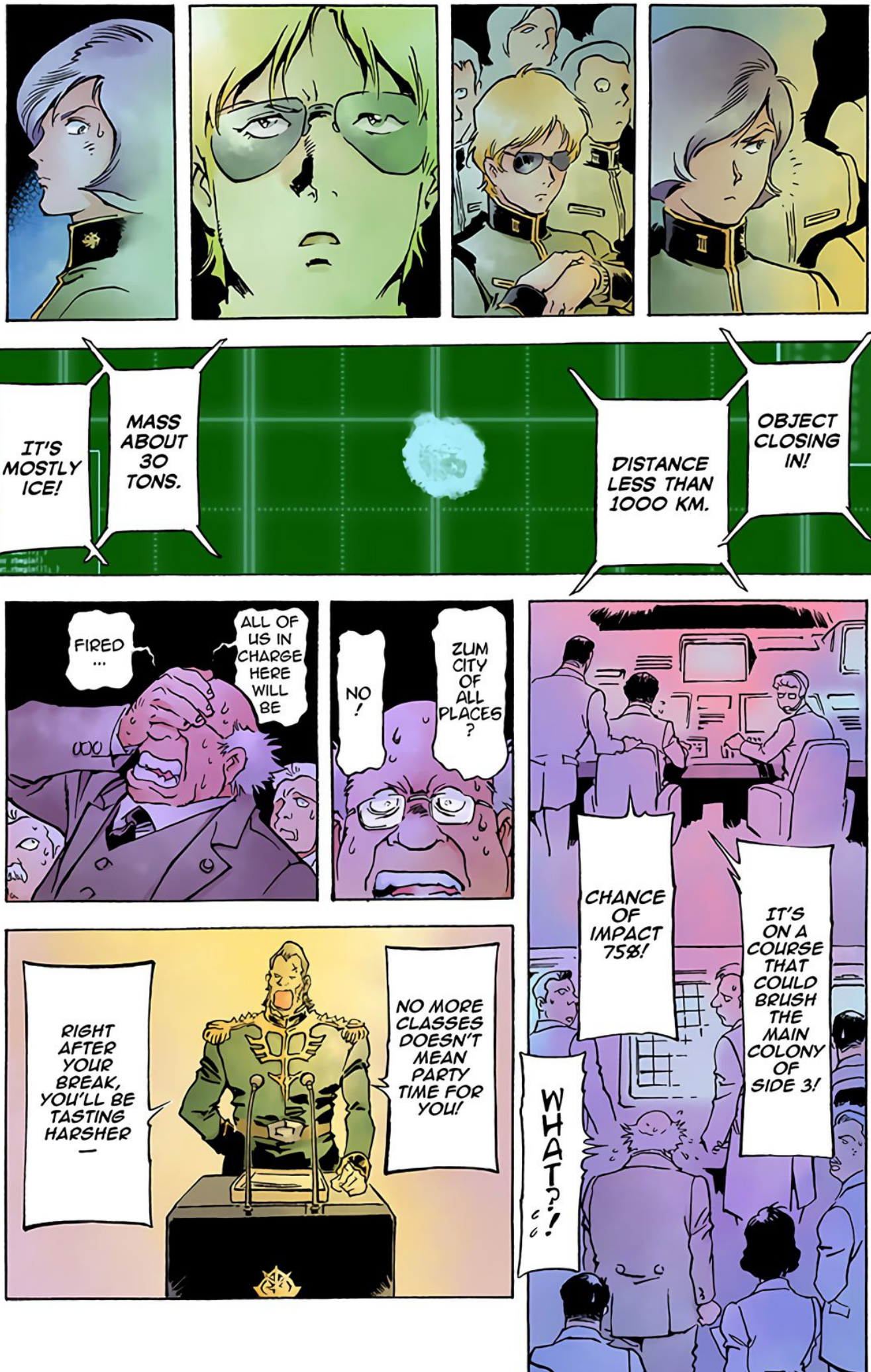
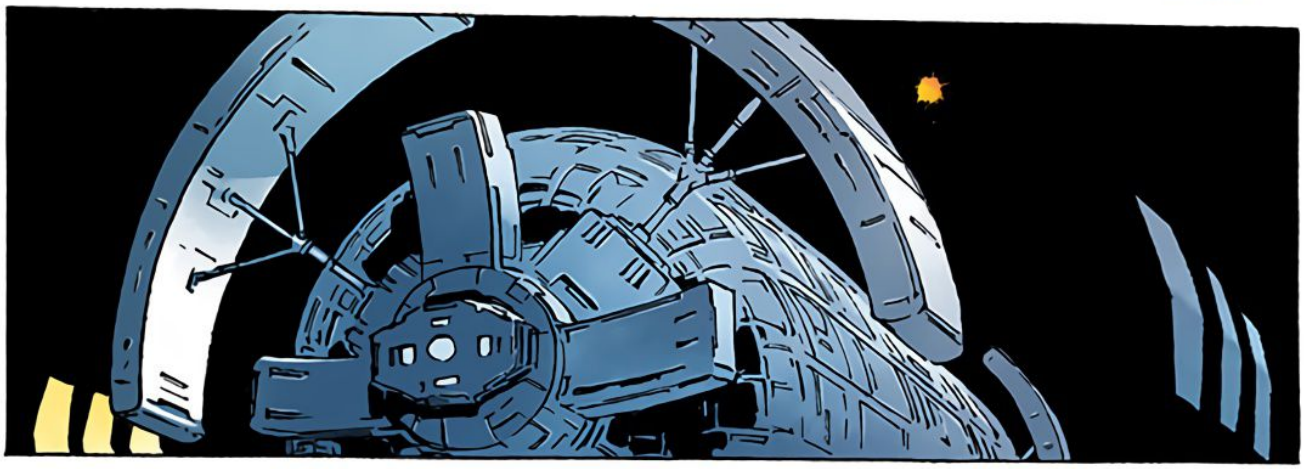

Federation Space Division
Small Celestial Bodies Monitoring Center
"A BASIC INPUT ERROR"
WILL NOT CUT IT!!
HOW AM I EVER TO EXPLAIN THAT?!
THE PROJECTED ORBIT OF OBJECT 00803
BRINGS IT RIGHT INTO THE CENTER LINE OF SIDE 3!!


DAMN RIGHT WE WERE, WANT ME TO CRY OVER SPILLED MILK?!
WHY WERE WE SO LATE?!
HUH?!
ISSUE AN EMERGENCY ALERT ASAP IN EVERY SECTOR!
FINE YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN WHO FOLLOW IN YOUR PATH AWAIT YOUR GUIDANCE!
THAT IS WHY OUR NATION HAS A MILITARY BASE HERE, IT IS WHY A FEDERATION GARRISON IS STATIONED HERE, NOT TO SPEAK OF THIS VERY ACADEMY!
DON'T MAKE LIGHT OF IT IN THE MISTAKEN BELIEF THAT IT'S JUST
AN EXTRA ROUND OF YOUR TRAINING REGIMEN!
AND YET THAT IS NOT ALL!
THE GUARDIAN BUNCH IS THE HEART AND SOUL OF ZEON'S DEFENSE!


IT'S MOSTLY ICE!
MASS ABOUT 30 TONS.
DISTANCE LESS THAN 1000 KM.
OBJECT CLOSING IN!
FIRED ...
ALL OF US IN CHARGE HERE WILL BE
NO!
ZUM CITY OF ALL PLACES?
RIGHT AFTER YOUR BREAK, YOU'LL BE TASTING HARSHER —
NO MORE CLASSES DOESN'T MEAN PARTY TIME FOR YOU!
CHANCE OF IMPACT 75%!
IT'S ON A COURSE THAT COULD BRUSH THE MAIN COLONY OF SIDE 3!
WHAT?!

WHASSAT?
HM?!



SECTION
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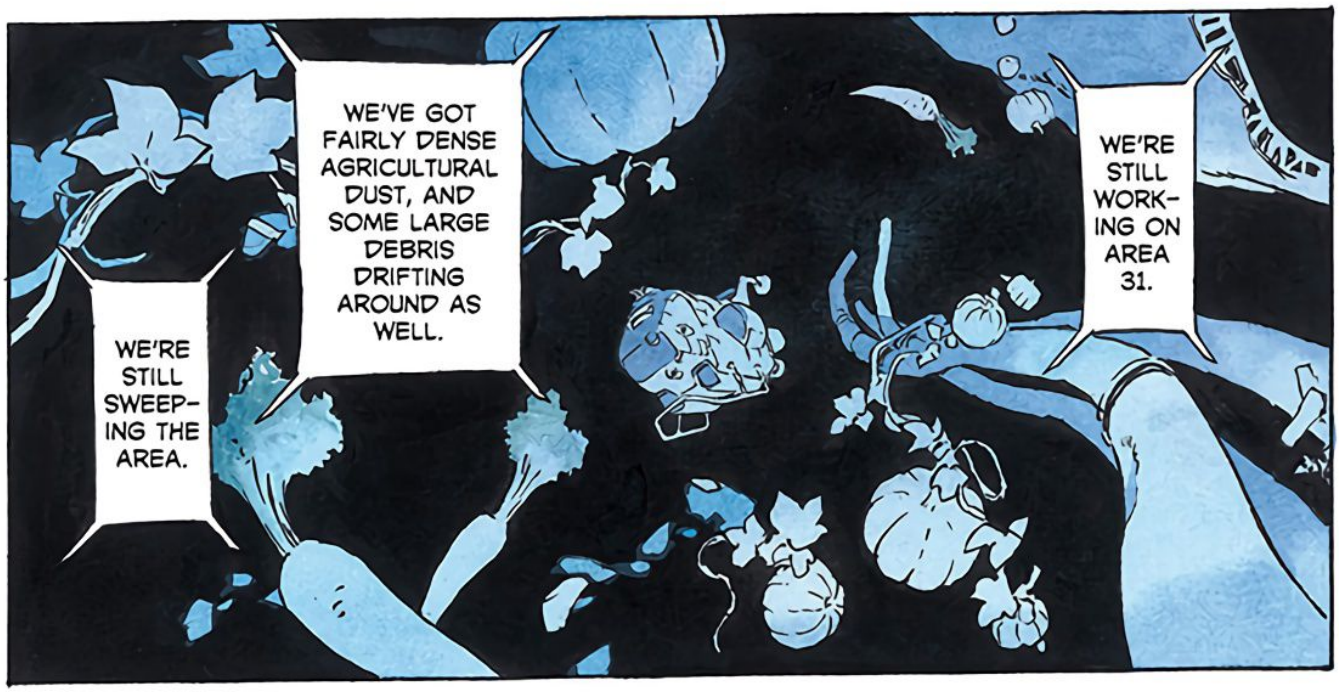
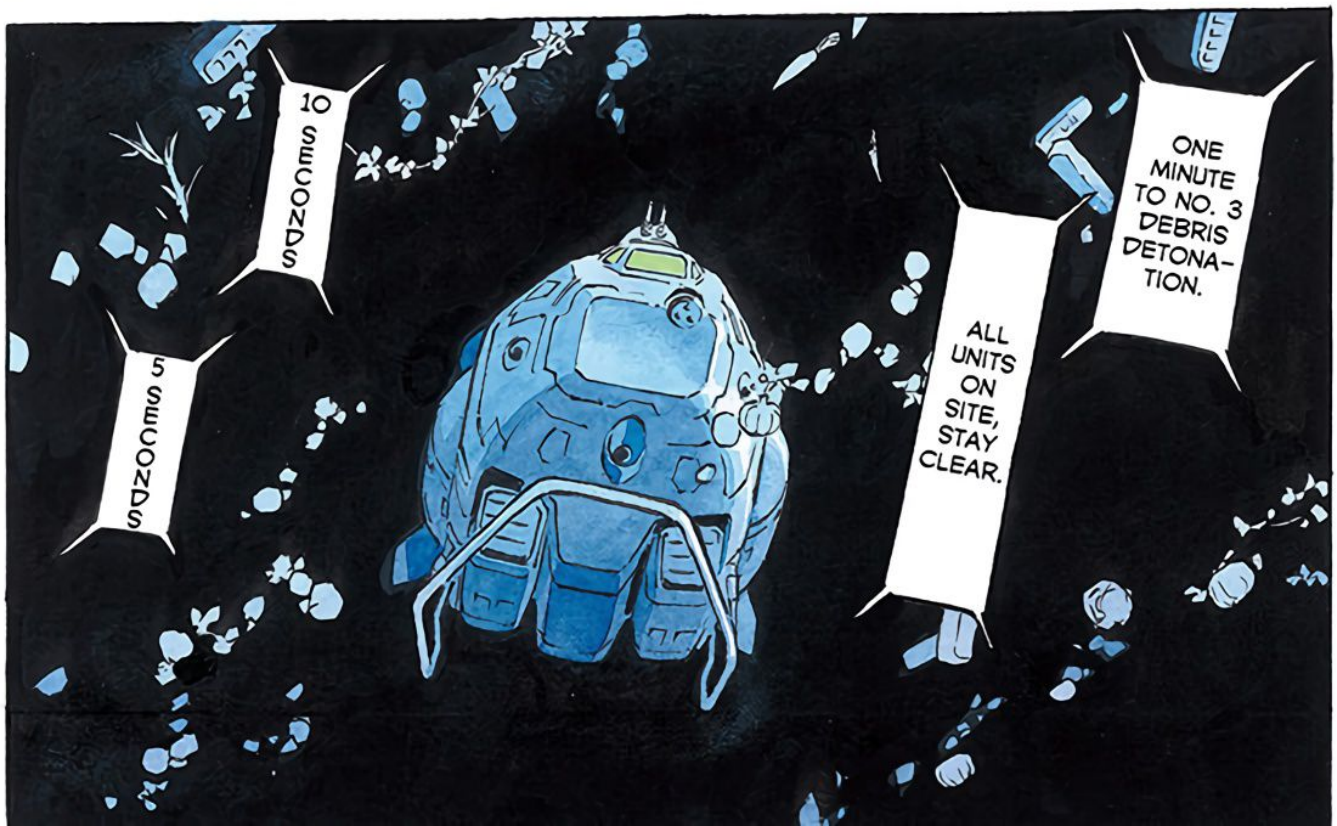
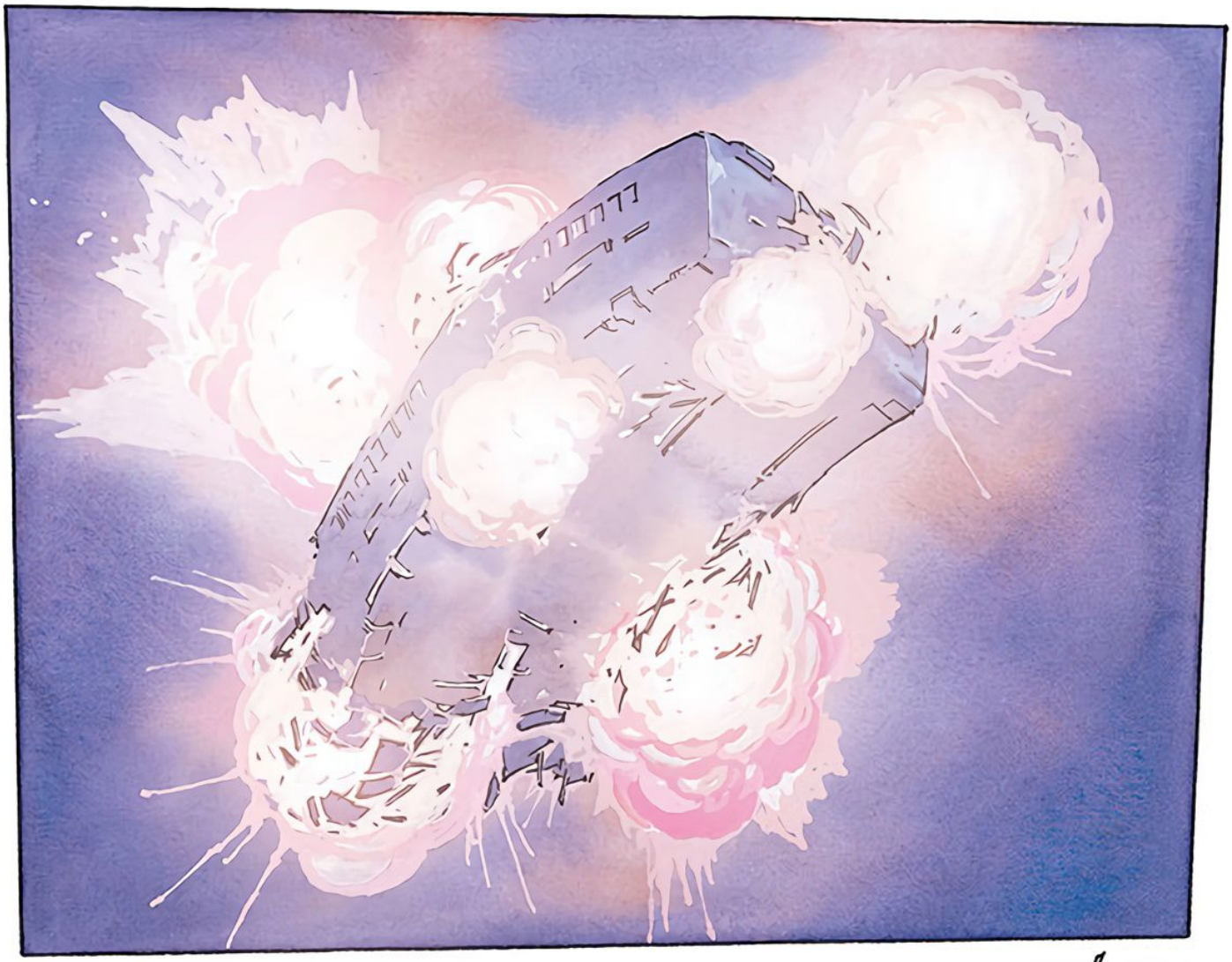
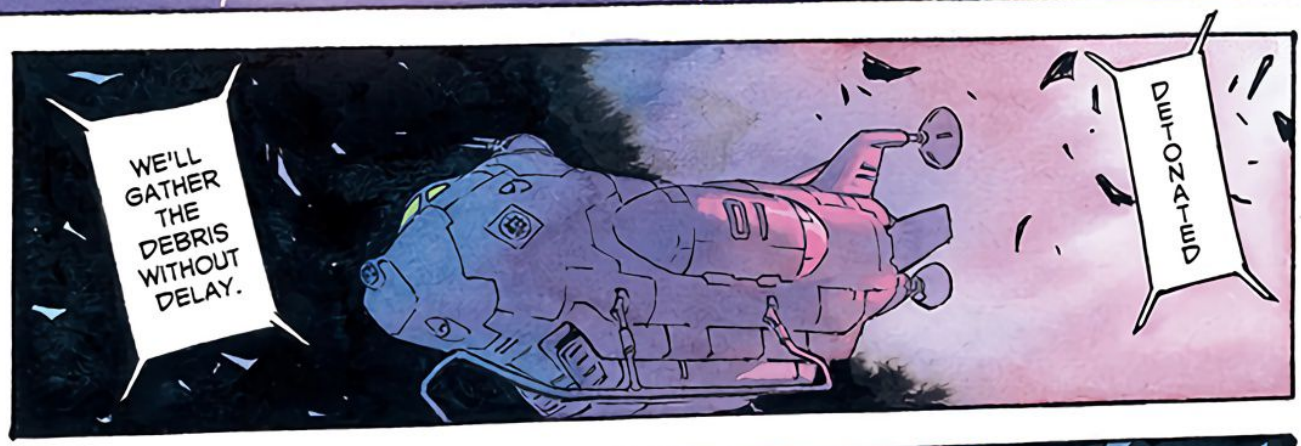
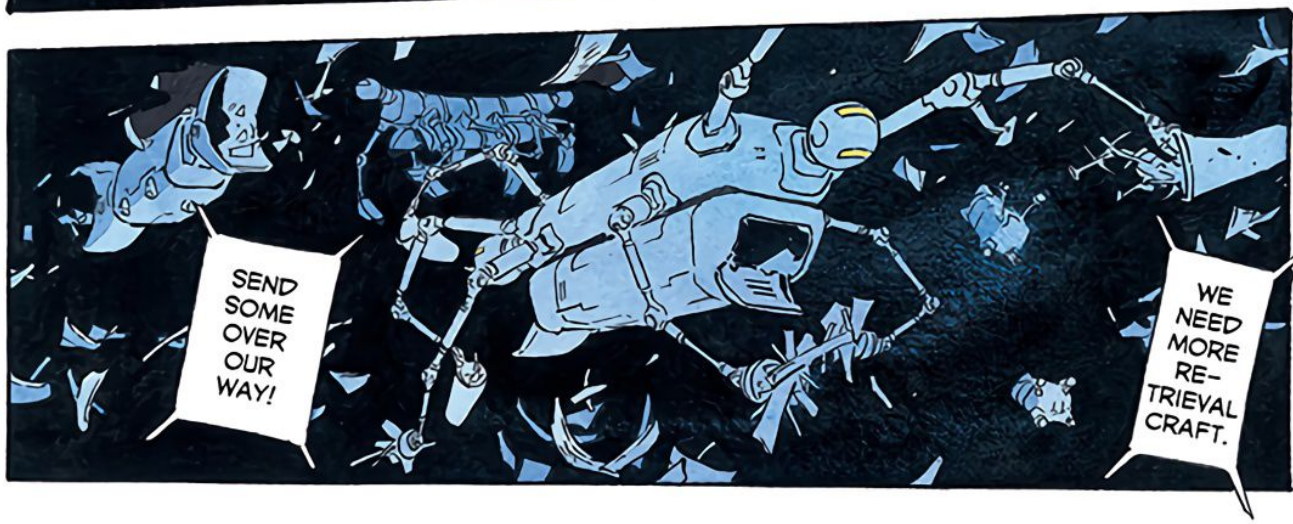
SMALLER VESSELS SHOULD BE ABLE TO GAIN PASSAGE NOW.
FLIGHT ROUTE SECURED IN AREA 30.

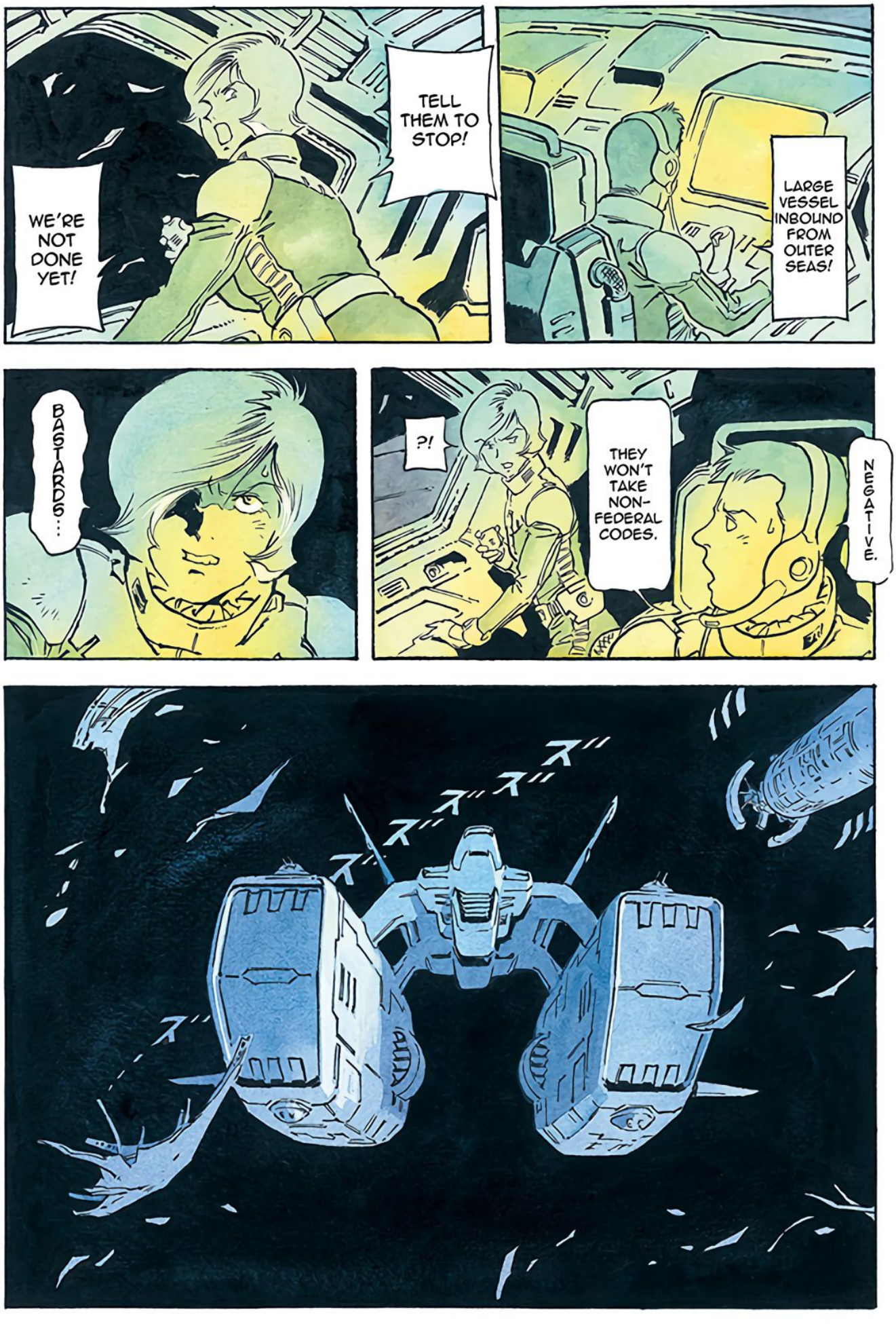

WE'RE STILL SWEEP-ING THE AREA.
WE'VE GOT FAIRLY DENSE AGRICULTURAL DUST, AND SOME LARGE DEBRIS DRIFTING AROUND AS WELL.
WE'RE STILL WORK-ING ON AREA 31.

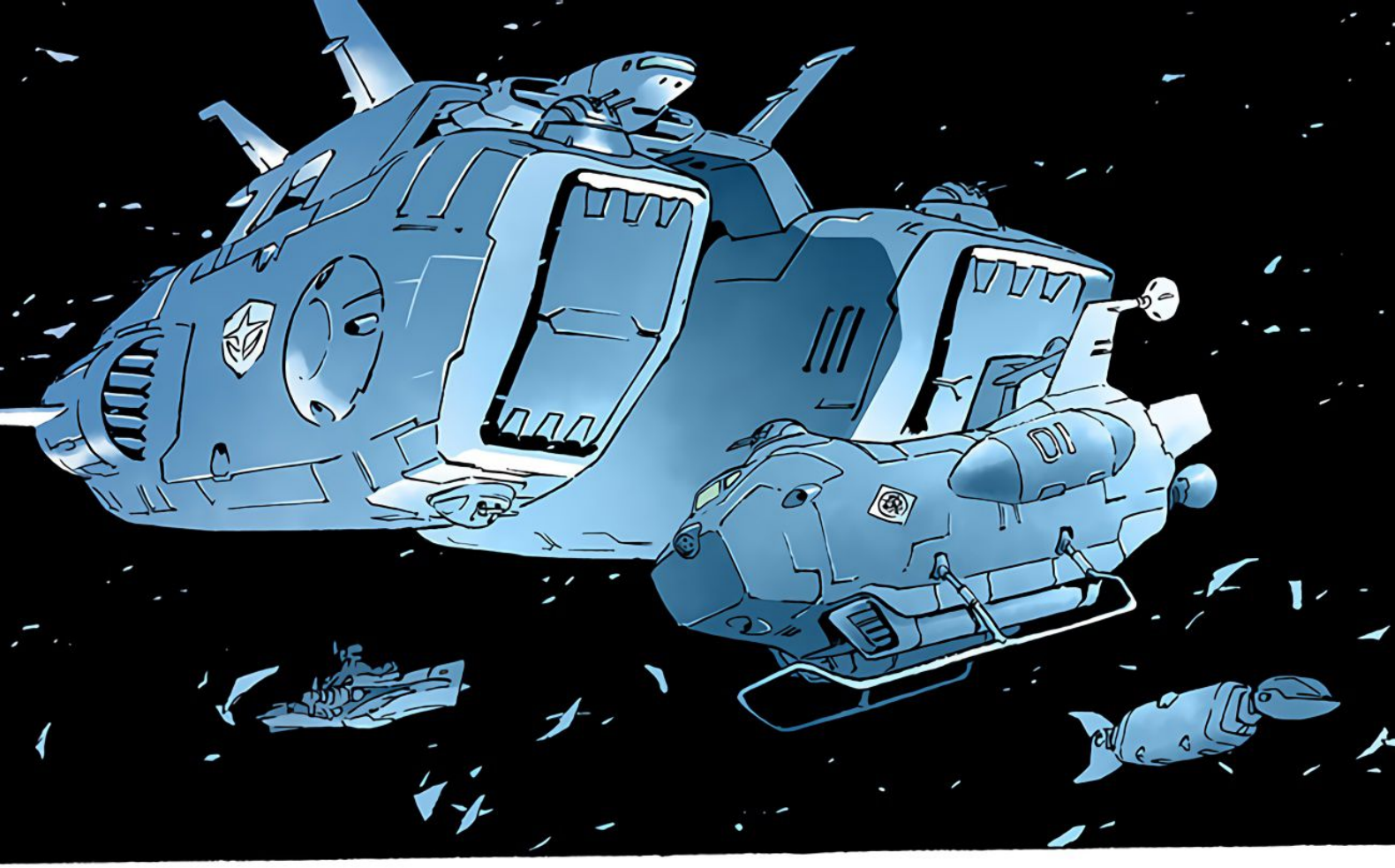

10 SECONDS
5 SECONDS
ALL UNITS ON SITE, STAY CLEAR.
ONE MINUTE TO NO. 3 DEBRIS DETONA-TION.



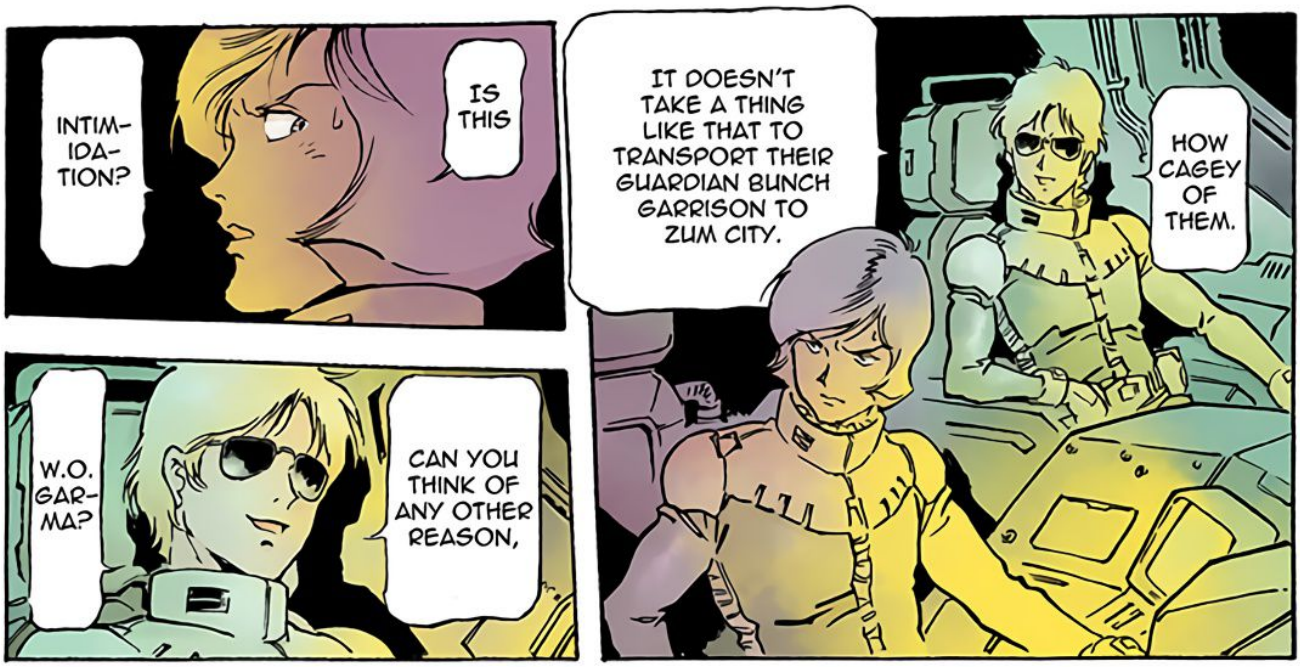

DETONATED
WE'LL GATHER THE DEBRIS WITHOUT DELAY.

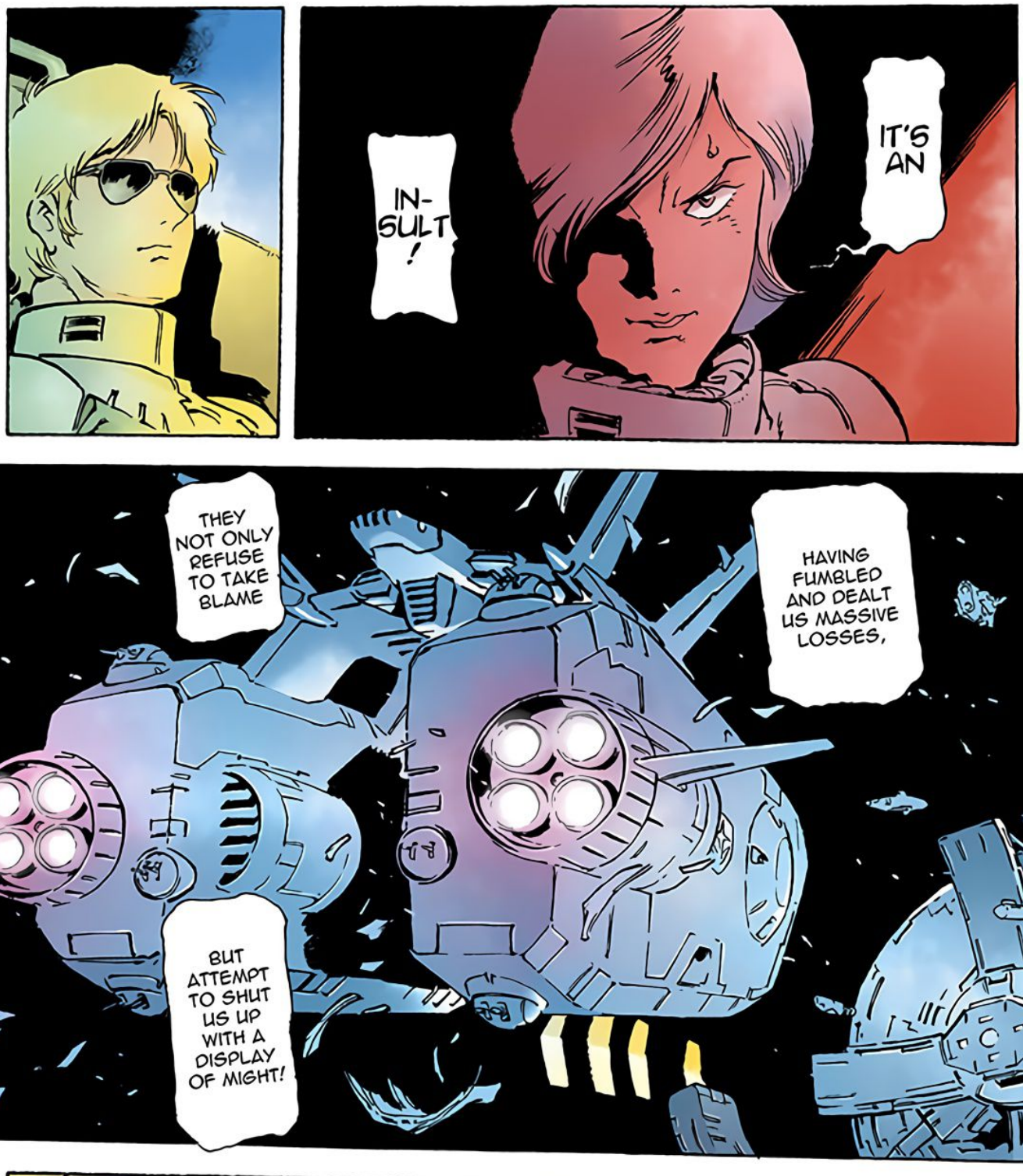

SEND SOME OVER OUR WAY!
WE NEED MORE RE-TRIEVAL CRAFT.

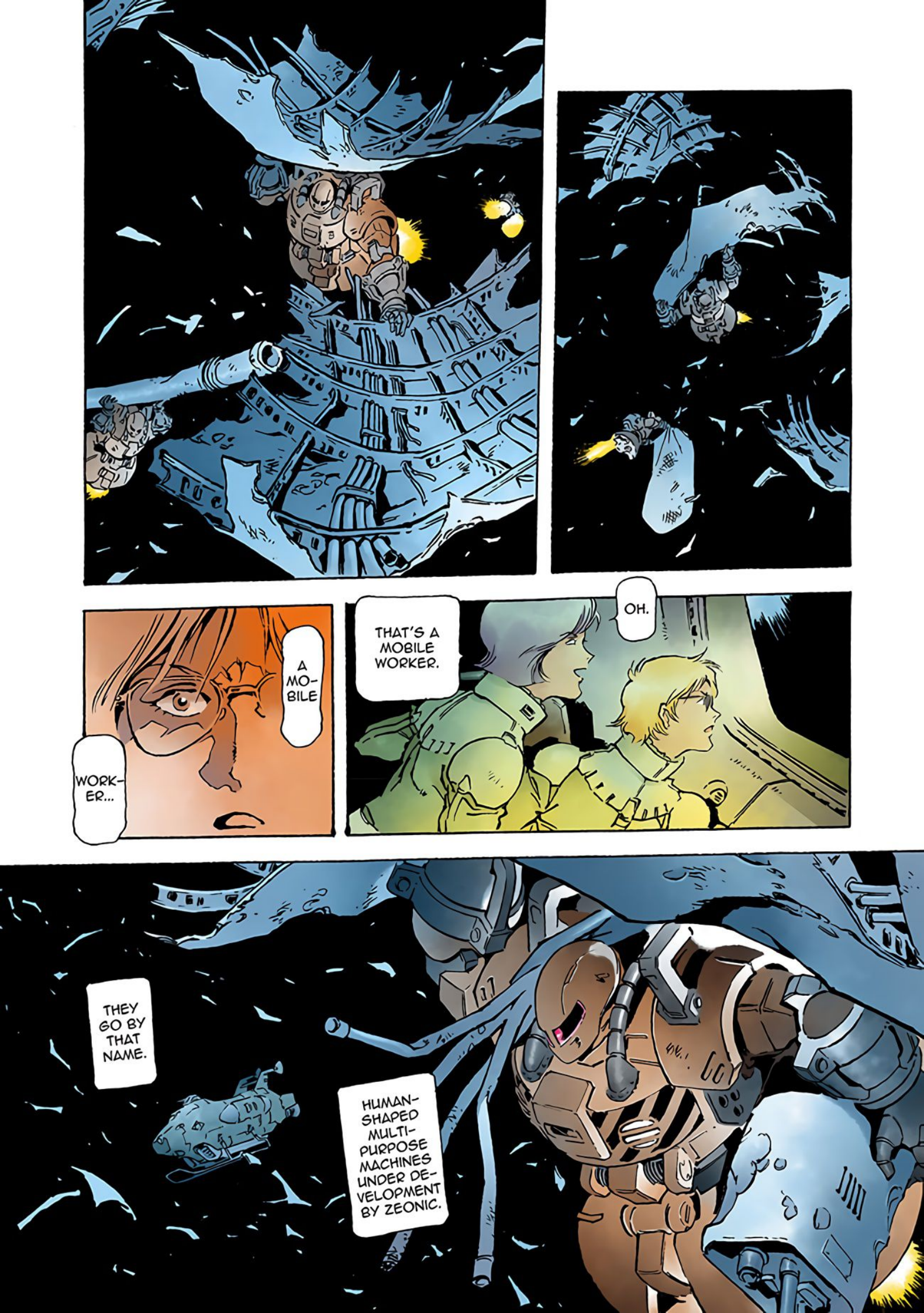

TELL THEM TO STOP!
WE'RE NOT DONE YET!
LARGE VESSEL INBOUND FROM OUTER SEAS!
BASTARDS...
?!
THEY WON'T TAKE NON-FEDERAL CODES.
NEGATIVE.

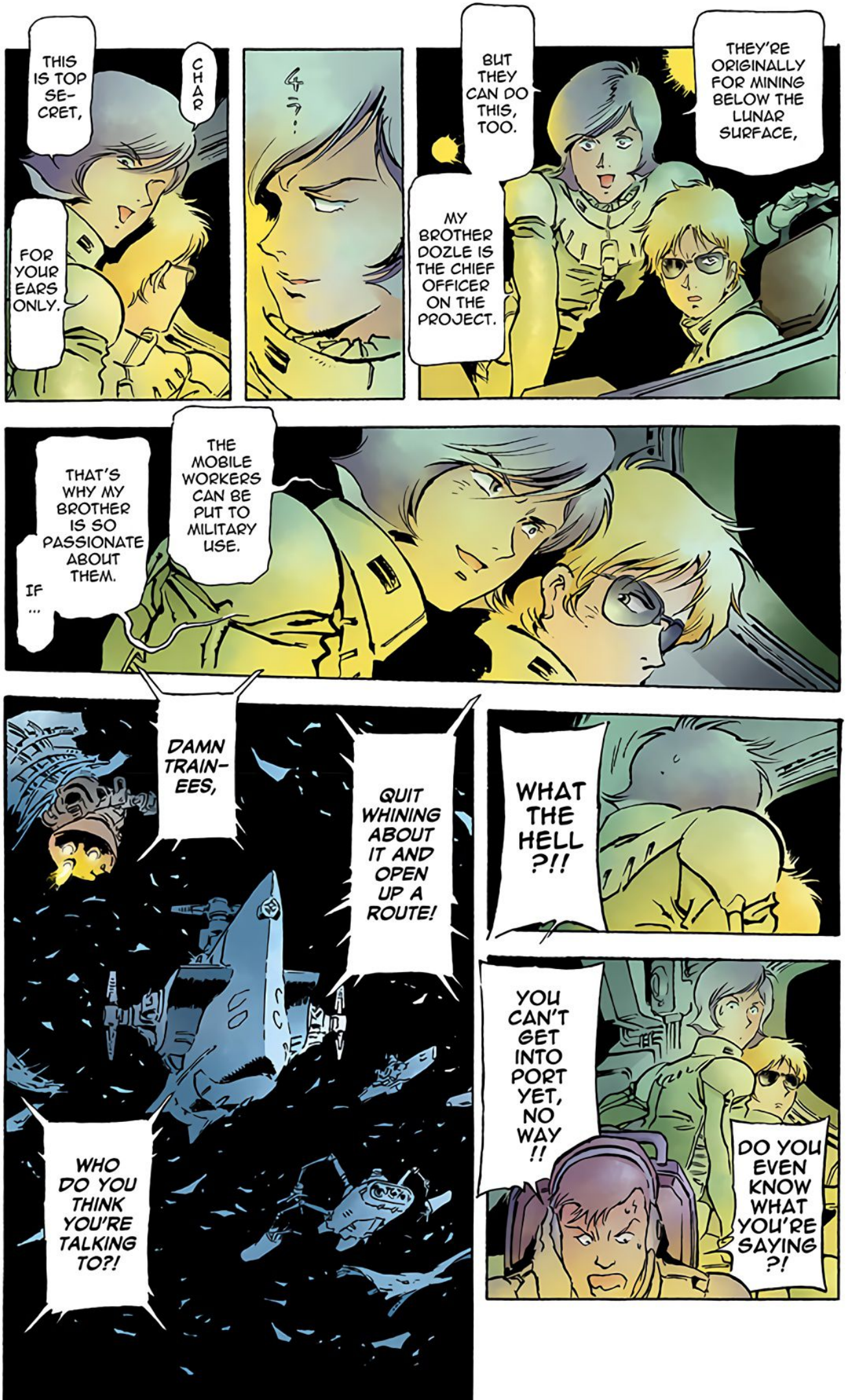


IT'S AN ASSAULT SHIP...


HOW CASEY OF THEM.
IT DOESN'T TAKE A THING LIKE THAT TO TRANSPORT THEIR GUARDIAN BUNCH GARRISON TO ZUM CITY.
IS THIS INTIM-IDA-TION?
CAN YOU THINK OF ANY OTHER REASON, W.O. GAR-MA?


IT'S AN
IN-SULT!
THEY NOT ONLY REFUSE TO TAKE BLAME
HAVING FUMBLED AND DEALT US MASSIVE LOSSES,
BUT ATTEMPT TO SHUT US UP WITH A DISPLAY OF MIGHT!
GARMA
WHAT IS THAT?!


A MO-BILE WORK-ER...
THAT'S A MOBILE WORKER.
OH.
THEY GO BY THAT NAME.
HUMAN-SHAPED MULTI-PURPOSE MACHINES UNDER DE-VELOPMENT BY ZEONIC.


THEY'RE ORIGINALLY FOR MINING BELOW THE LUNAR SURFACE,
BUT THEY CAN DO THIS, TOO.
MY BROTHER DOZLE IS THE CHIEF OFFICER ON THE PROJECT.
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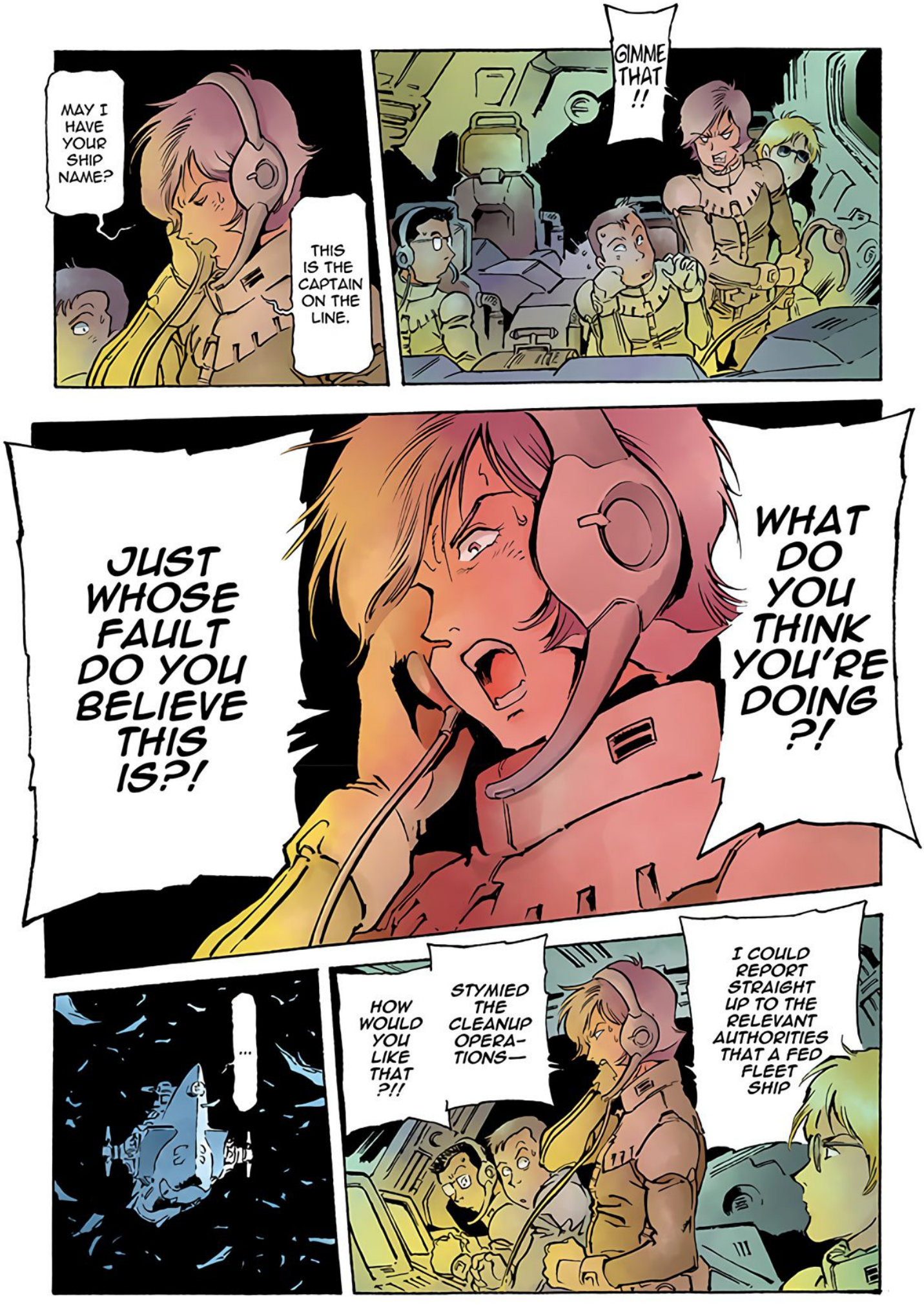
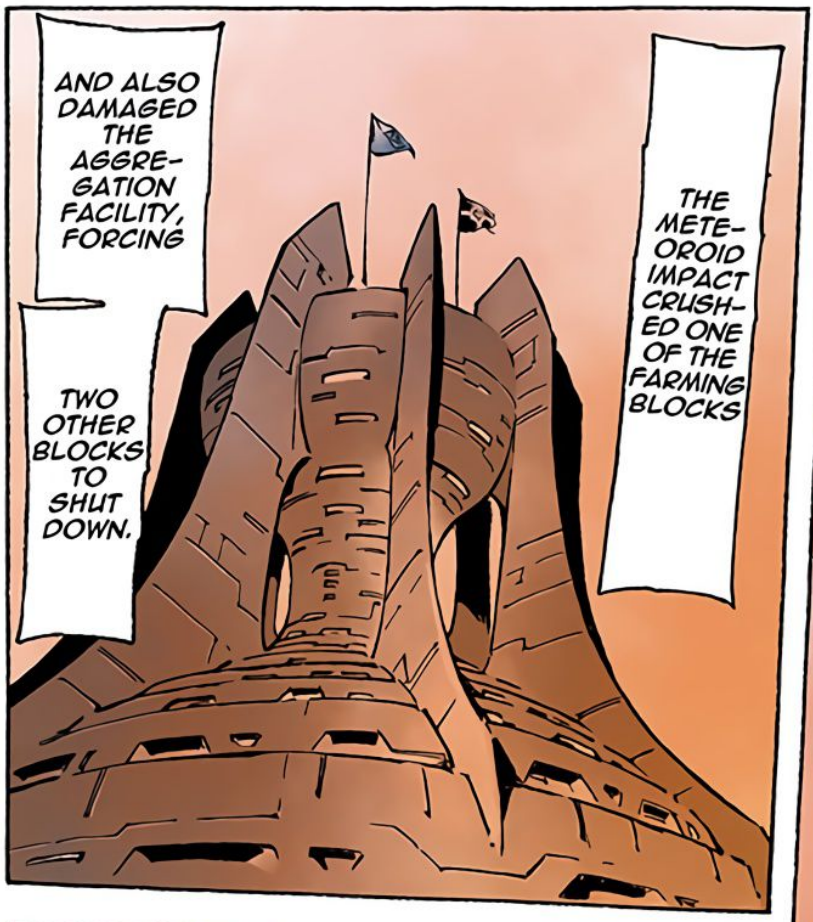
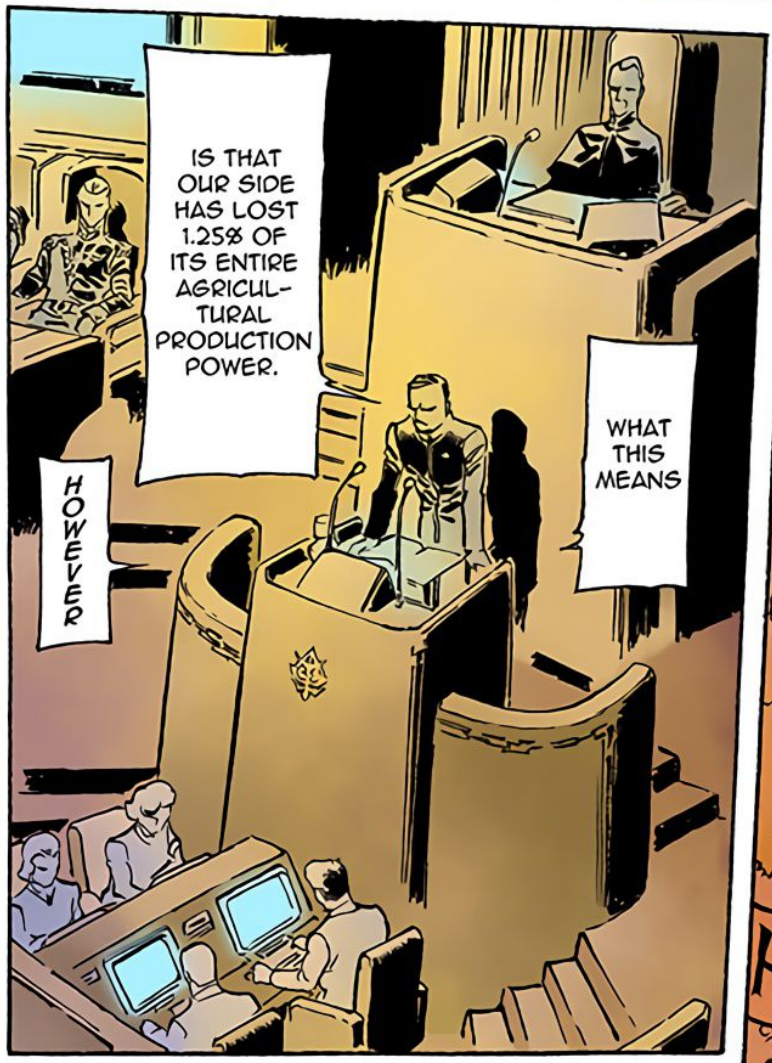
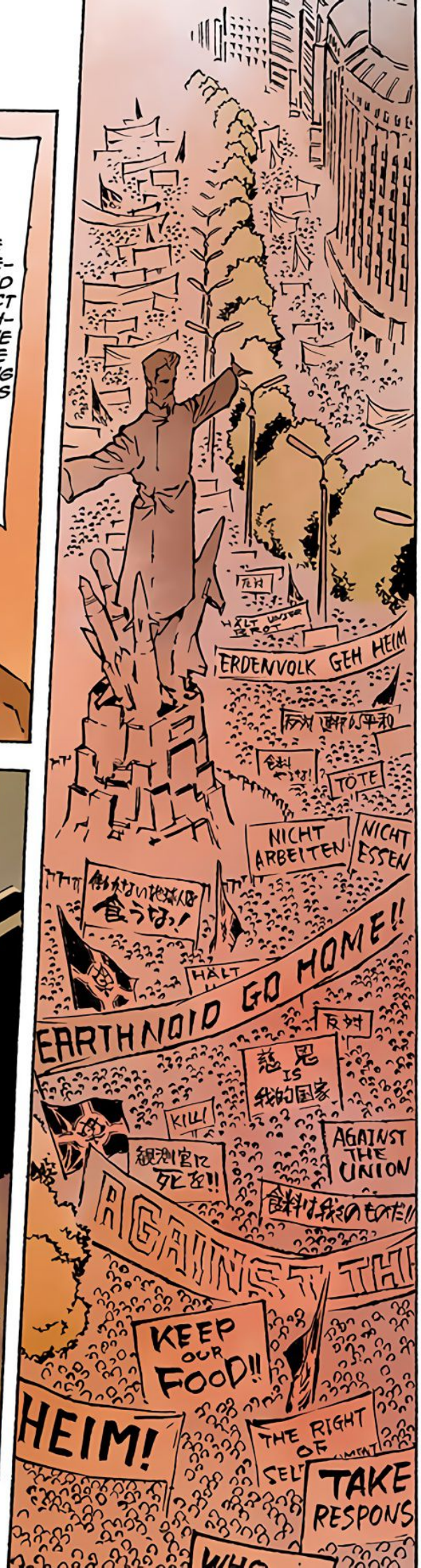
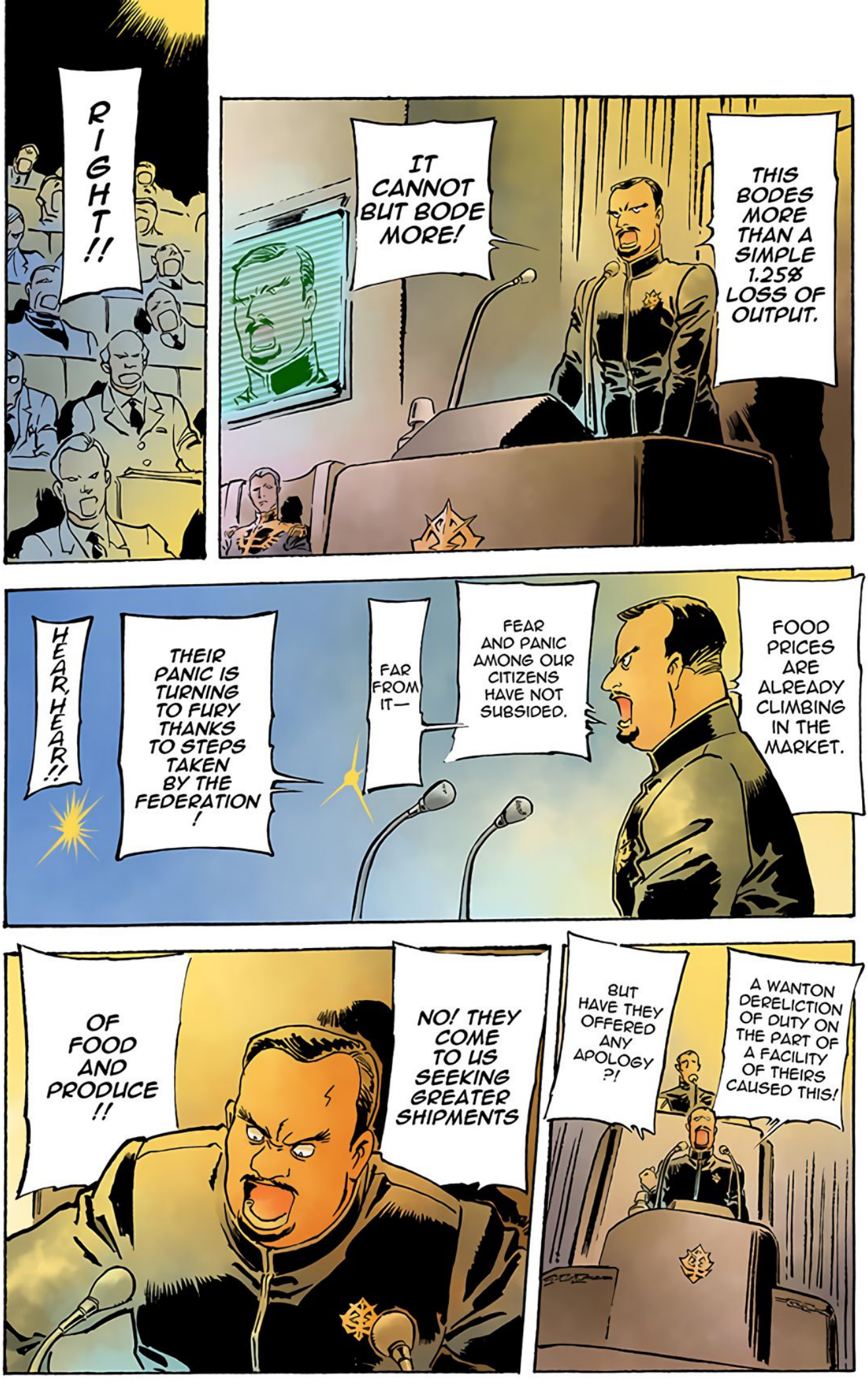
CHAR
THIS IS TOP SE-CRET,
FOR YOUR EARS ONLY.
THE MOBILE WORKERS CAN BE PUT TO MILITARY USE.
THAT'S WHY MY BROTHER IS SO PASSIONATE ABOUT THEM.
IF ...
WHAT THE HELL ?!!
DO YOU EVEN KNOW WHAT YOU'RE SAYING ?!
YOU CAN'T GET INTO PORT YET, NO WAY !!
DAMN TRAIN-EES,
QUIT WHINING ABOUT IT AND OPEN UP A ROUTE!
WHO DO YOU THINK YOU'RE TALKING TO?!

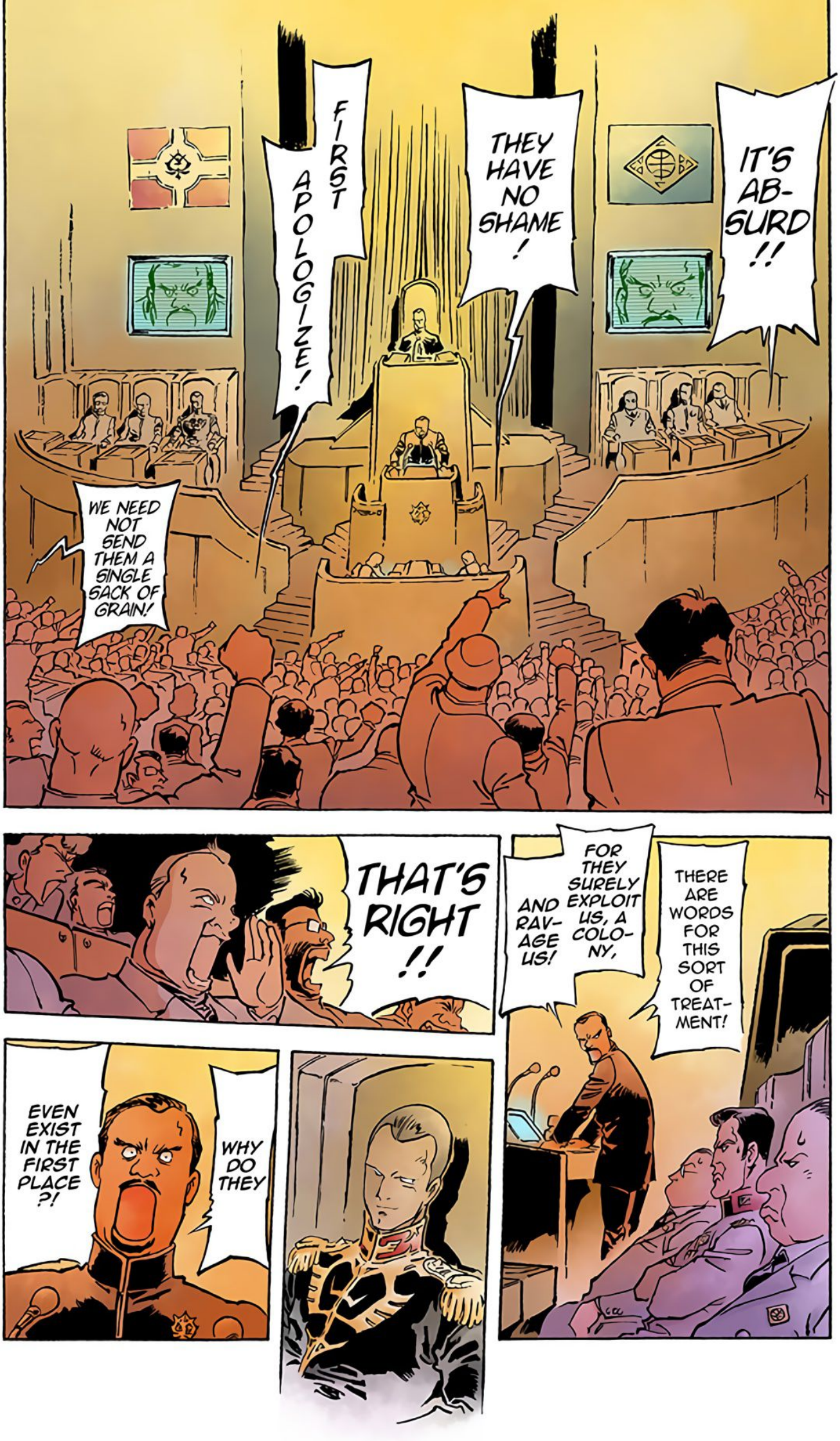

MAY I HAVE YOUR SHIP NAME?
THIS IS THE CAPTAIN ON THE LINE.
GIMME THAT !!
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING ?!
JUST WHOSE FAULT DO YOU BELIEVE THIS IS?!
...
HOW WOULD YOU LIKE THAT ?!!
STYMIED THE CLEANUP OPERA-TIONS—
I COULD REPORT STRAIGHT UP TO THE RELEVANT AUTHORITIES THAT A FED FLEET SHIP

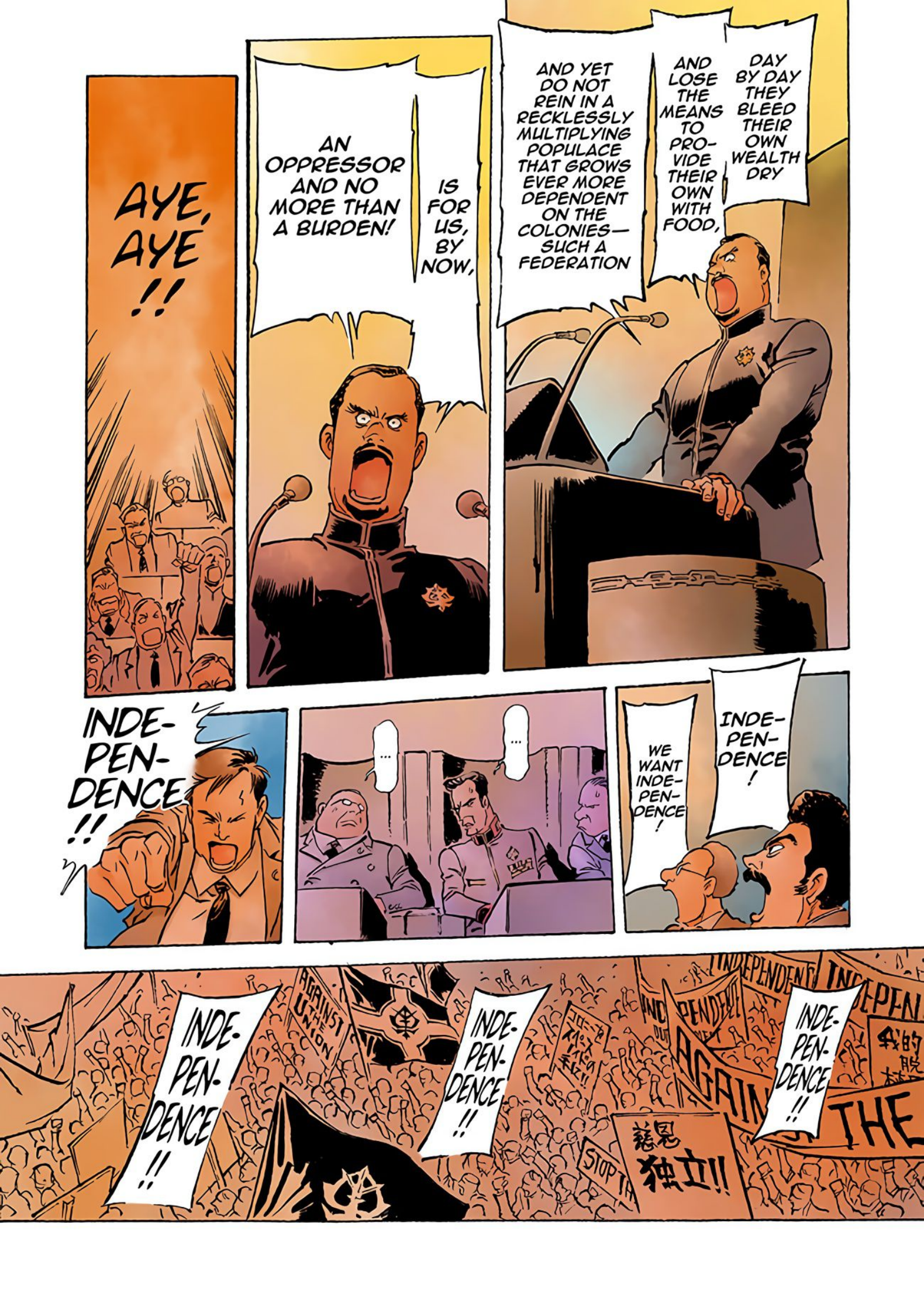

THE METEOROID IMPACT CRUSHED ONE OF THE FARMING BLOCKS
AND ALSO DAMAGED THE AGGREGATION FACILITY, FORCING
TWO OTHER BLOCKS TO SHUT DOWN.

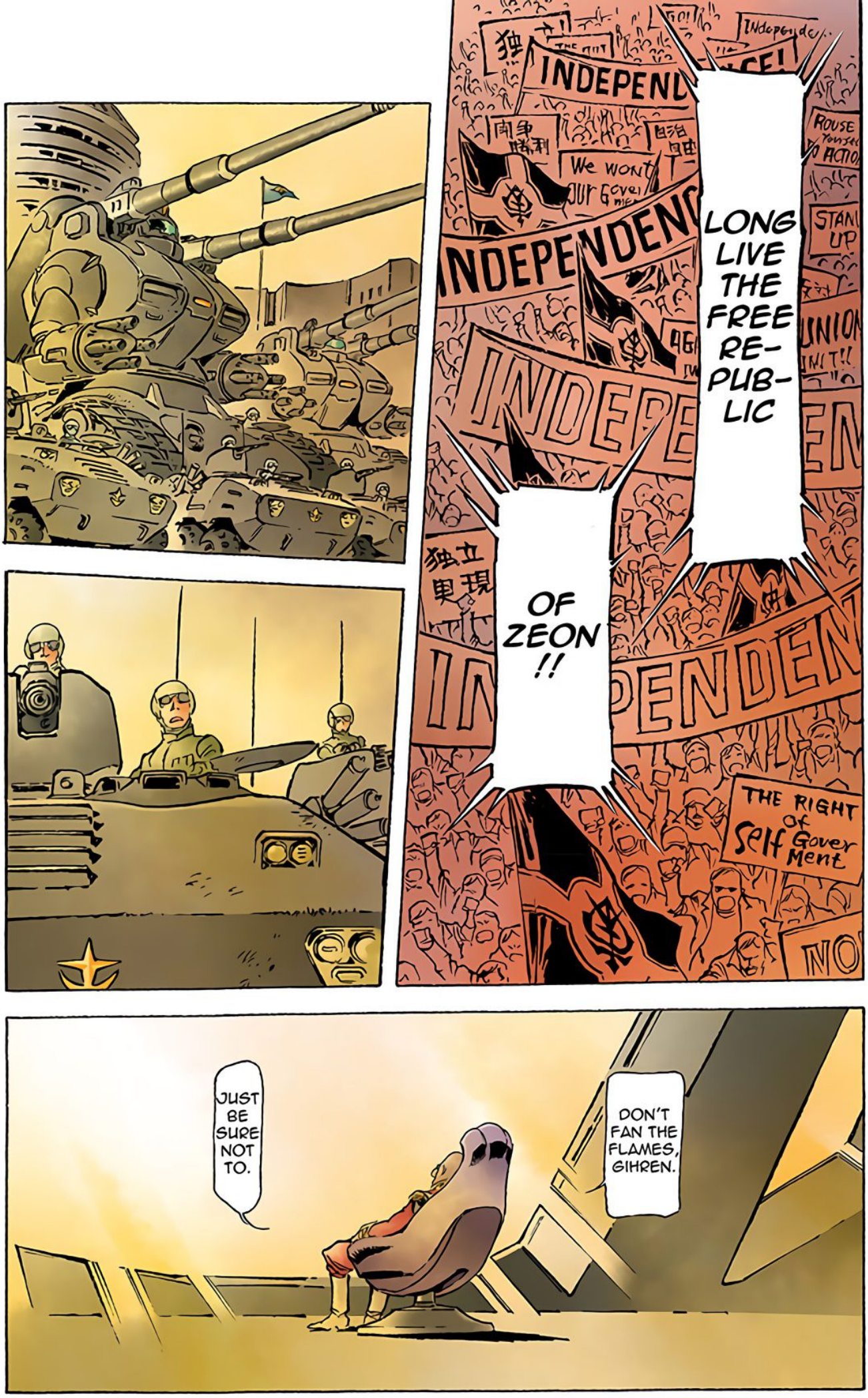

IS THAT OUR SIDE HAS LOST 1.25% OF ITS ENTIRE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION POWER.
WHAT THIS MEANS
HOWEVER

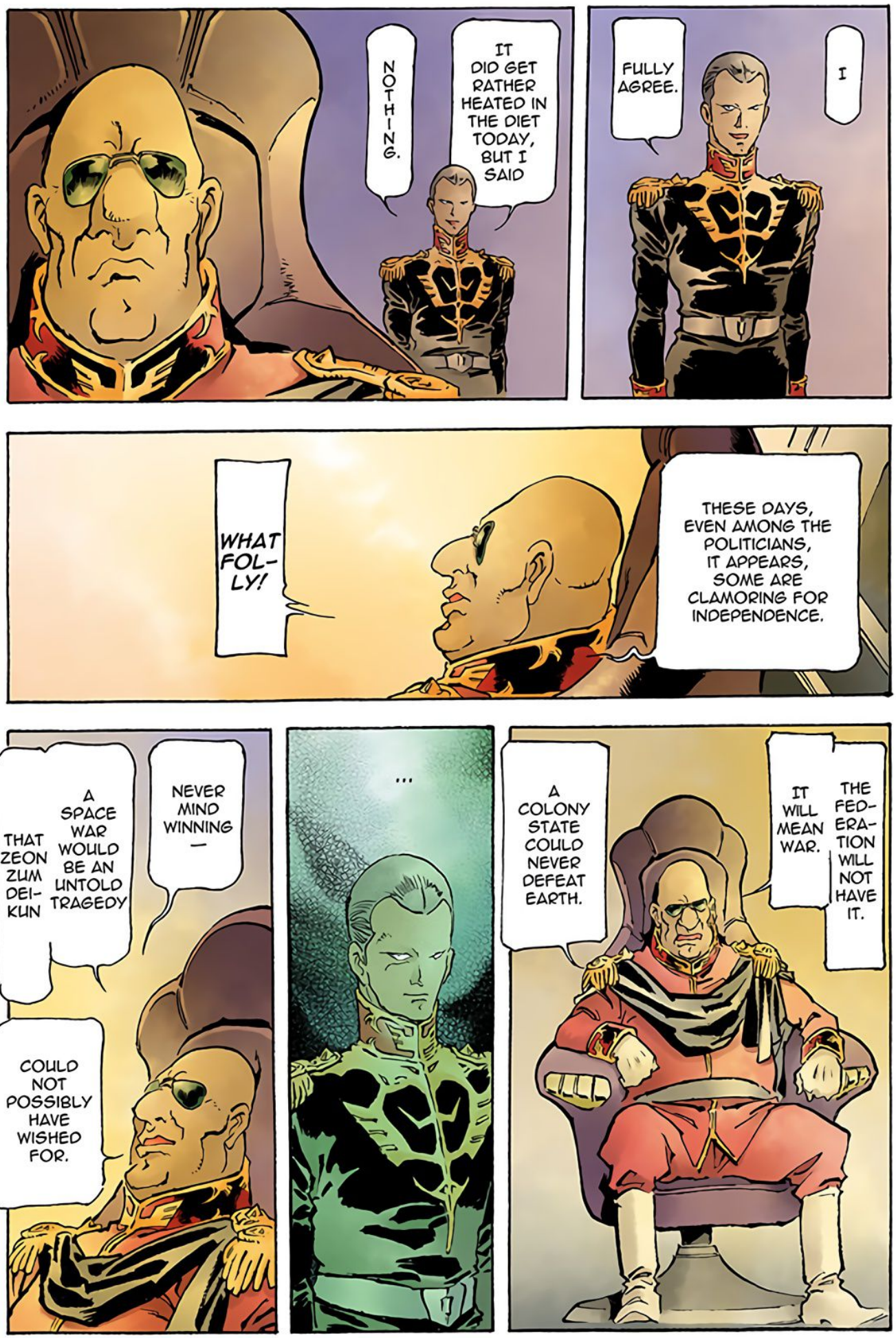

ERDENVOLK GEH HEIM
TÖTE
NICHT ARBEITEN
NICHT ESSEN
HALT
EARTHNOID GO HOME!!
KILL!
AGAINST THE UNION
KEEP OUR FOOD!!
HEIM!
THE RIGHT OF
TAKE

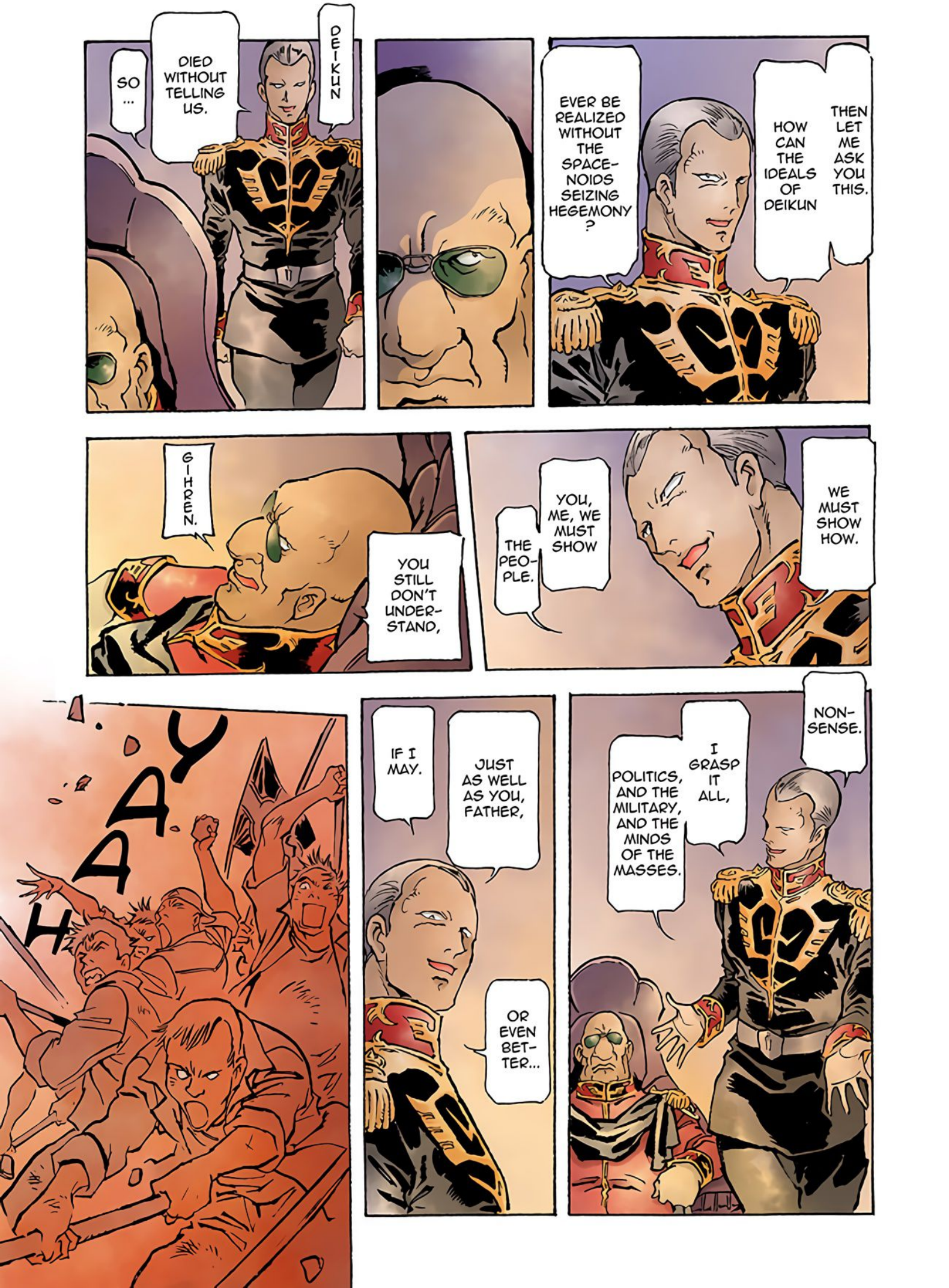

RIGHT!!
IT CANNOT BUT BODE MORE!
THIS BODES MORE THAN A SIMPLE 1.25% LOSS OF OUTPUT.
HEAR,HEAR!!
THEIR PANIC IS TURNING TO FURY THANKS TO STEPS TAKEN BY THE FEDERATION!
FAR FROM IT—
FEAR AND PANIC AMONG OUR CITIZENS HAVE NOT SUBSIDED.
FOOD PRICES ARE ALREADY CLIMBING IN THE MARKET.
OF FOOD AND PRODUCE!!
NO! THEY COME TO US SEEKING GREATER SHIPMENTS
BUT HAVE THEY OFFERED ANY APOLOGY?!
A WANTON DERELICTION OF DUTY ON THE PART OF A FACILITY OF THEIRS CAUSED THIS!


IT'S AB-SURD!!
THEY HAVE NO SHAME!
FIRST APOLOGIZE!
WE NEED NOT SEND THEM A SINGLE SACK OF GRAIN!
THAT'S RIGHT!!
THERE ARE WORDS FOR THIS SORT OF TREAT-MENT!
FOR THEY SURELY EXPLOIT US, A COLO-NY, AND RAV-AGE US!
WHY DO THEY EVEN EXIST IN THE FIRST PLACE?!


AYE, AYE!!
AN OPPRESSOR AND NO MORE THAN A BURDEN!
IS FOR US, BY NOW,
AND YET DO NOT REIN IN A RECKLESSLY MULTIPLYING POPULACE THAT GROWS EVER MORE DEPENDENT ON THE COLONIES— SUCH A FEDERATION
AND LOSE THE MEANS TO PRO-VIDE THEIR OWN WITH FOOD,
DAY BY DAY THEY BLEED THEIR OWN WEALTH DRY
INDE-PEN-DENCE!!
...
...
WE WANT INDE-PEN-DENCE!
INDE-PEN-DENCE!
INDE-PEN-DENCE!!
INDE-PEN-DENCE!!
INDE-PEN-DENCE!!
AGAINST THE UNION
STOP IT
AGAIN
THE

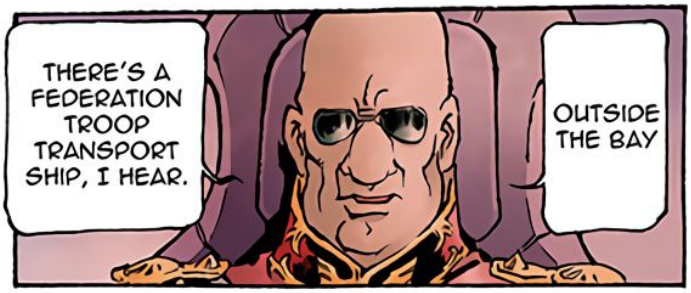

LONG LIVE THE FREE RE-PUB-LIC
OF ZEON !!
THE RIGHT of Self Gover Ment
JUST BE SURE NOT TO.
DON'T FAN THE FLAMES, GIHREN.

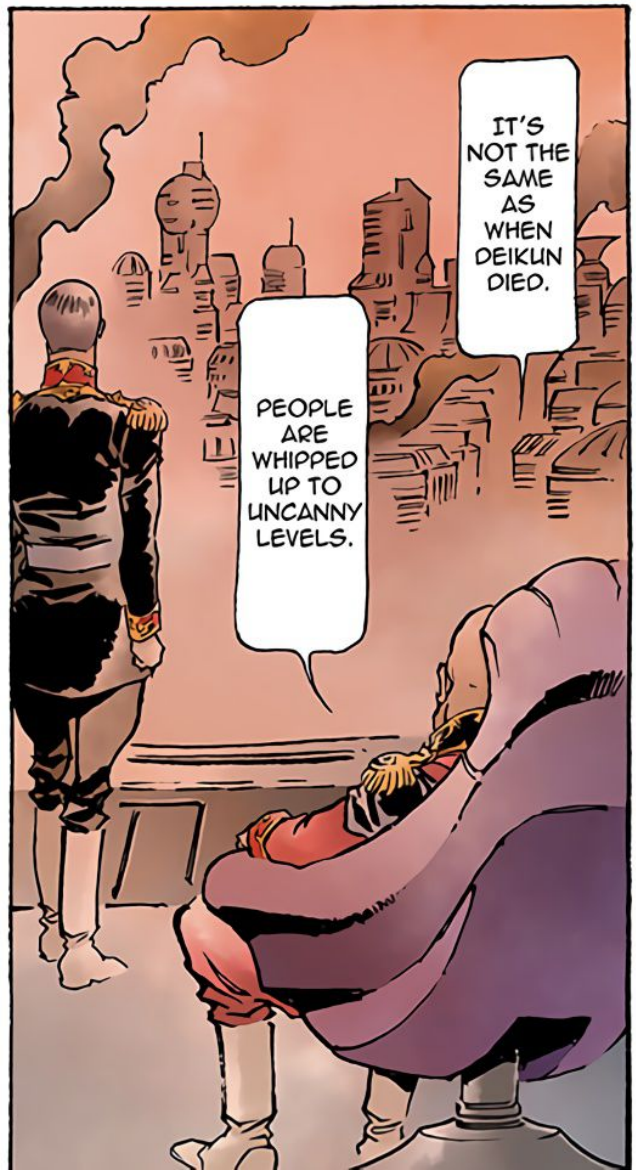

I
FULLY AGREE.
IT DID GET RATHER HEATED IN THE DIET TODAY, BUT I SAID
NOTHING.
THESE DAYS, EVEN AMONG THE POLITICIANS, IT APPEARS, SOME ARE CLAMORING FOR INDEPENDENCE.
WHAT FOL-LY!
THE FED-ERA-TION WILL NOT HAVE IT.
IT WILL MEAN WAR.
A COLONY STATE COULD NEVER DEFEAT EARTH.
...
NEVER MIND WINNING —
A SPACE WAR WOULD BE AN UNTOLD TRAGEDY
THAT ZEON ZUM DEI-KUN
COULD NOT POSSIBLY HAVE WISHED FOR.

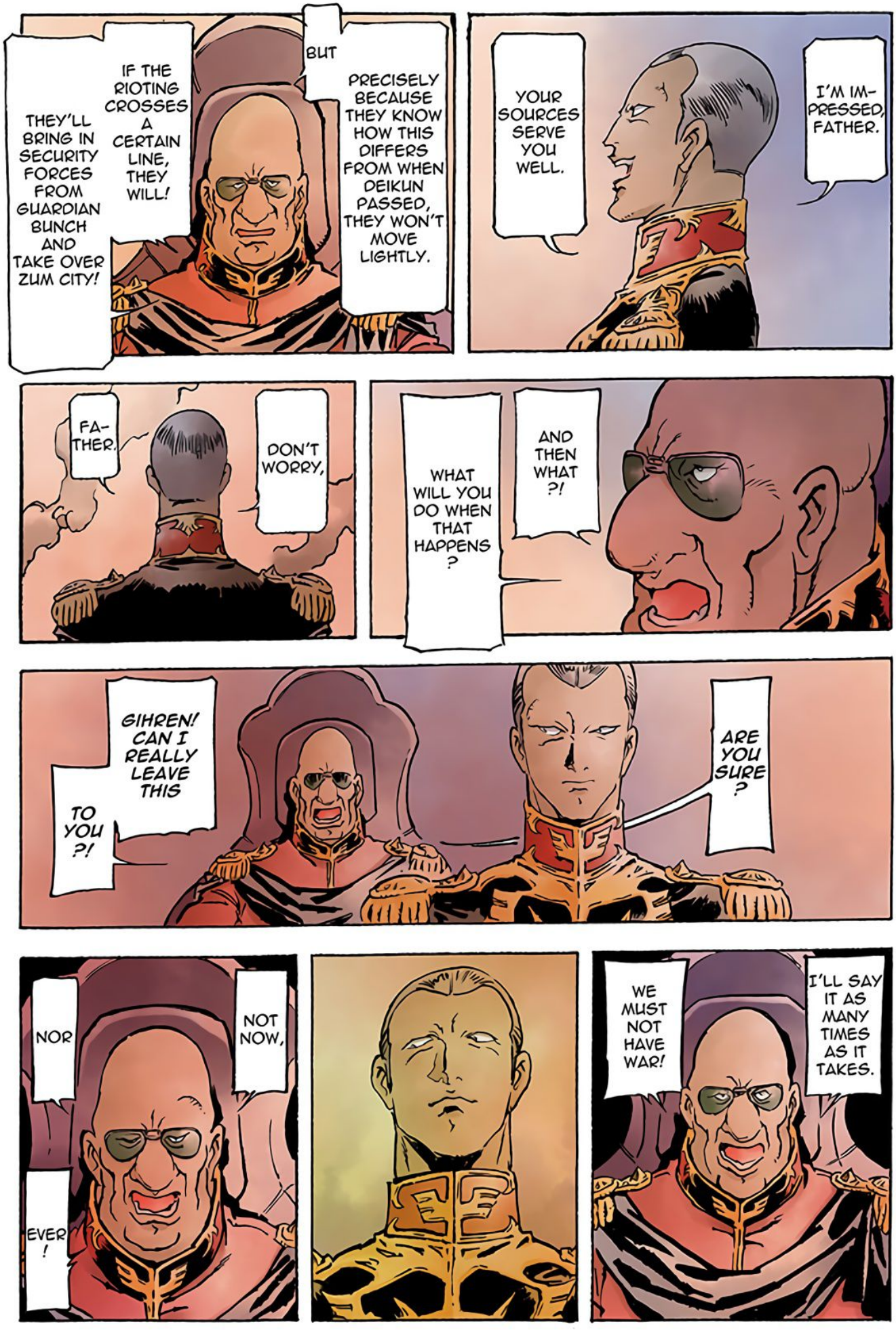

THEN LET ME ASK YOU THIS.
HOW CAN THE IDEALS OF DEIKUN
EVER BE REALIZED WITHOUT THE SPACE-NOIDS SEIZING HEGEMONY?
DEIKUN
DIED WITHOUT TELLING US.
SO...
WE MUST SHOW HOW.
YOU, ME, WE MUST SHOW
THE PEO-PLE.
GIHREN.
YOU STILL DON'T UNDER-STAND,
NON-SENSE.
I GRASP IT ALL,
POLITICS, AND THE MILITARY, AND THE MINDS OF THE MASSES.
IF I MAY.
JUST AS WELL AS YOU, FATHER,
OR EVEN BET-TER...
HAY
AY

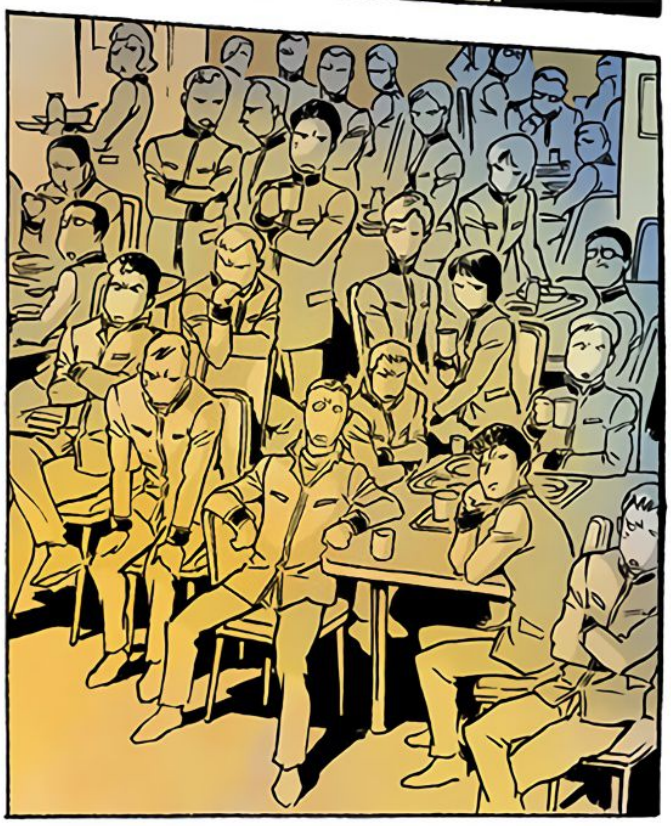
WHO CAN BLAME THEM?
THE INSTIGATION WAS FOOD.

THIS IS YOUR DOING.
NO. THIS IS THE RESULT OF TEN YEARS OF PROPAGANDA.

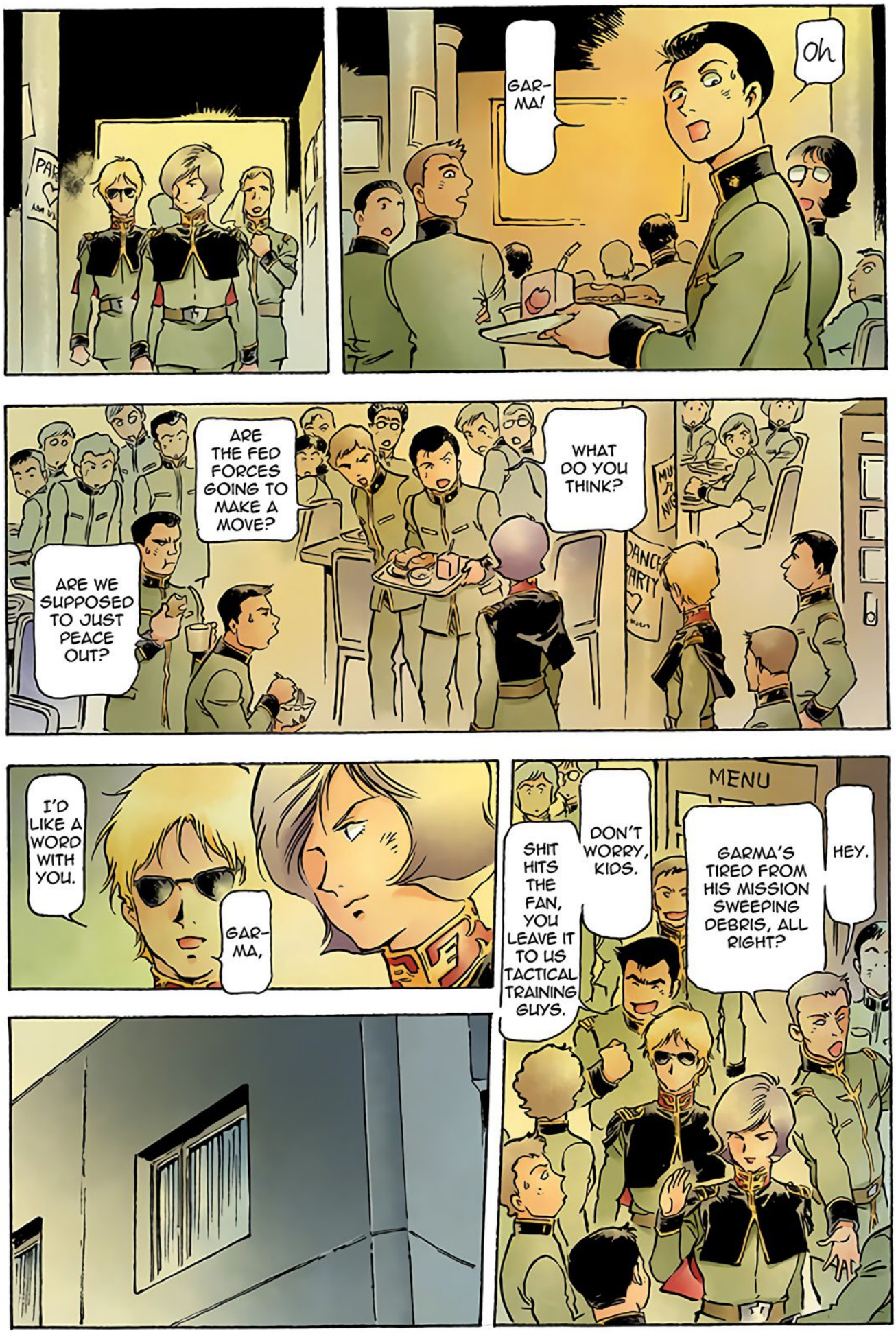

THERE'S A FEDERATION TROOP TRANSPORT SHIP, I HEAR.
OUTSIDE THE BAY

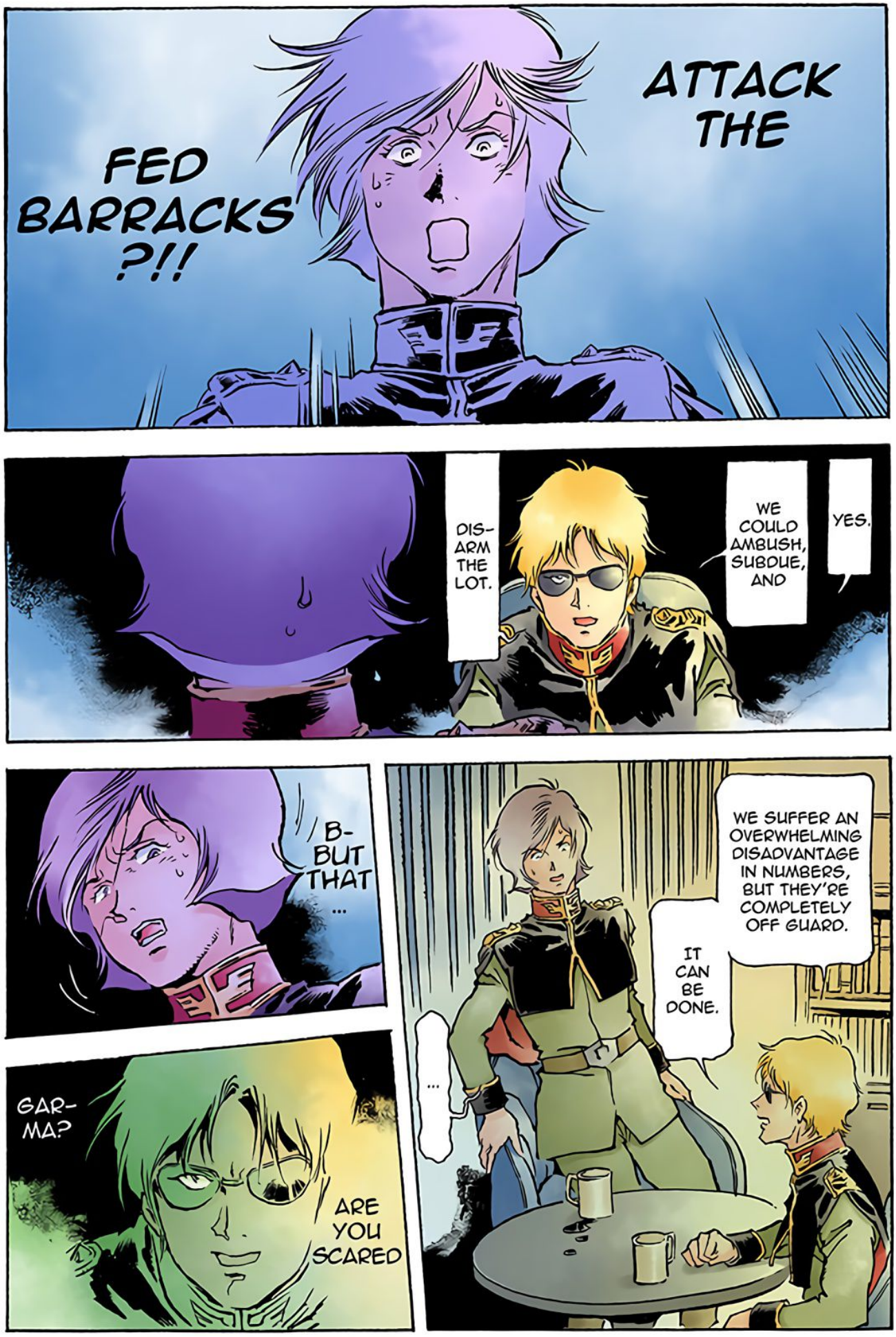

IT'S NOT THE SAME AS WHEN DEIKUN DIED.
PEOPLE ARE WHIPPED UP TO UNCANNY LEVELS.

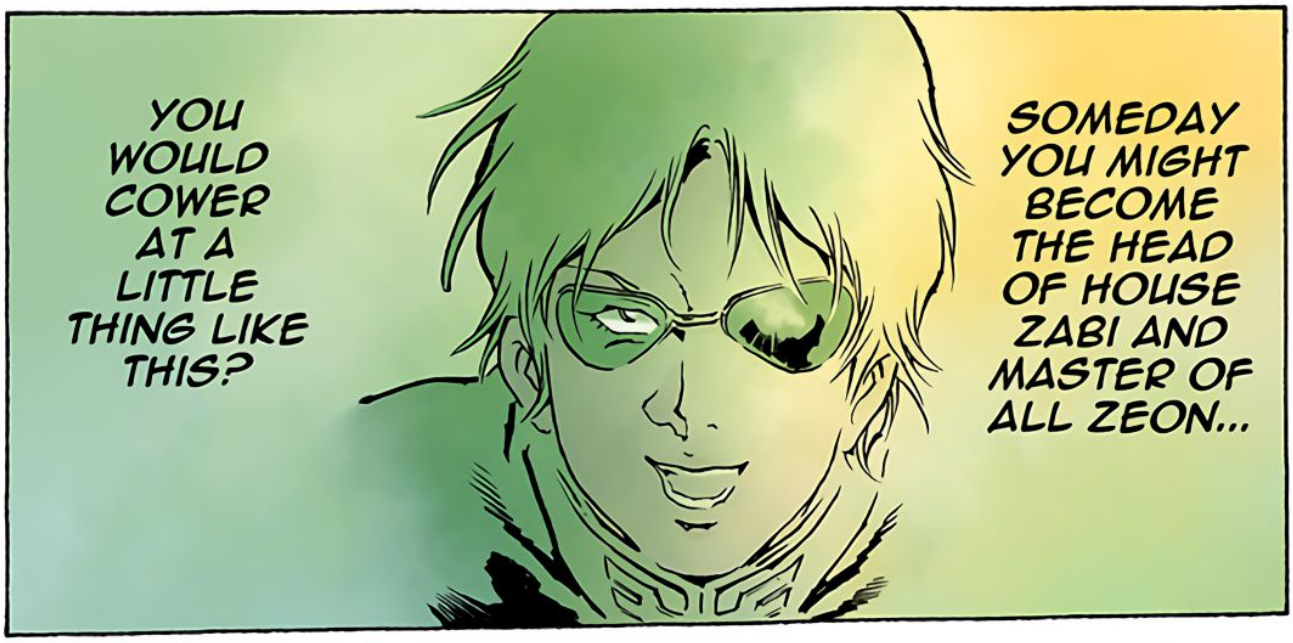

THEY'LL BRING IN SECURITY FORCES FROM GUARDIAN BUNCH AND TAKE OVER ZUM CITY!
IF THE RIOTING CROSSES A CERTAIN LINE, THEY WILL!
BUT PRECISELY BECAUSE THEY KNOW HOW THIS DIFFERS FROM WHEN DEIKUN PASSED, THEY WON'T MOVE LIGHTLY.
YOUR SOURCES SERVE YOU WELL.
I'M IM-PRESSED, FATHER.
FA-THER.
DON'T WORRY,
WHAT WILL YOU DO WHEN THAT HAPPENS ?
AND THEN WHAT ?!
GIHREN! CAN I REALLY LEAVE THIS TO YOU ?!
ARE YOU SURE ?
NOR EVER !
NOT NOW,
WE MUST NOT HAVE WAR!
I'LL SAY IT AS MANY TIMES AS IT TAKES.

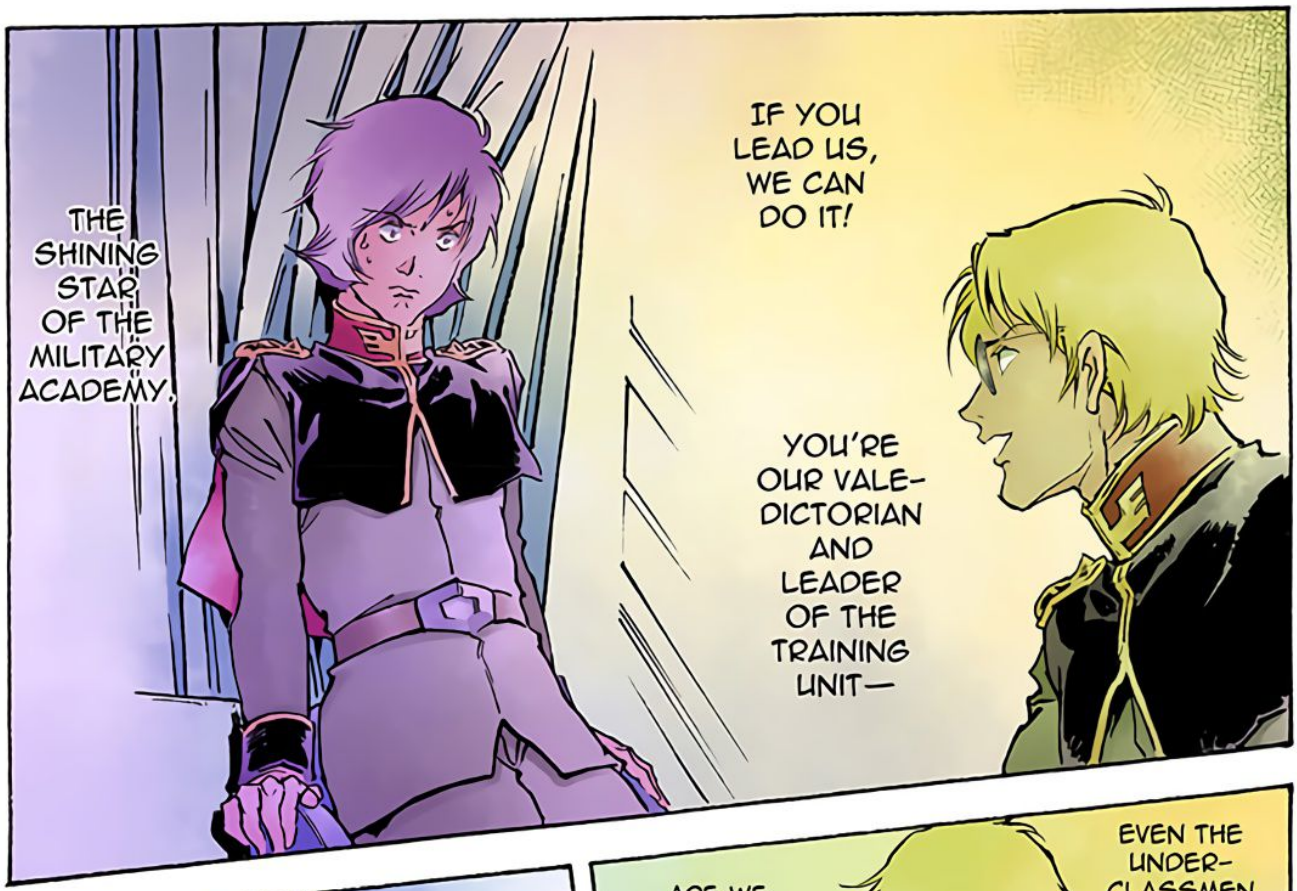


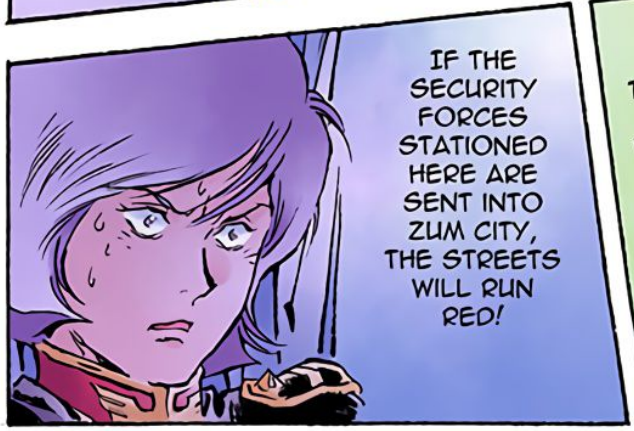
NOT EVEN IF WE CAN WIN!
WHAT TRUTH CAN THERE BE IN RAZING TO NAUGHT THE HISTORY WE'VE STRIVEN TO BUILD HERE?!
WHAT FU-TURE?!
DO YOU HEAR ME, GIHREN?!

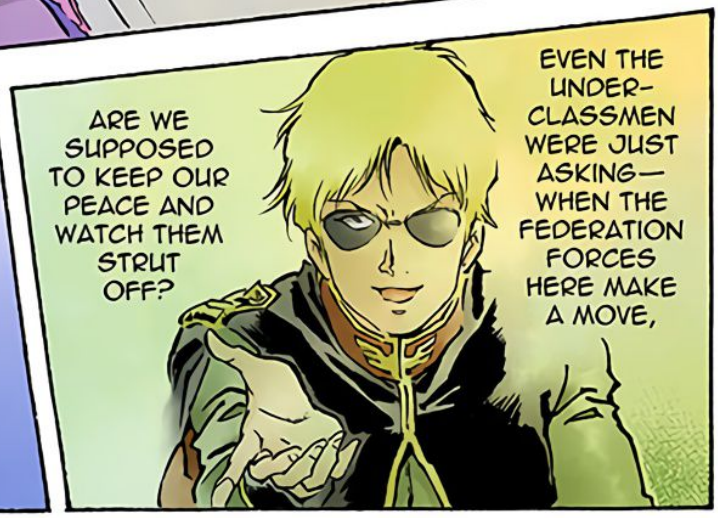

Oh
GAR-MA!
WHAT DO YOU THINK?
ARE THE FED FORCES GOING TO MAKE A MOVE?
ARE WE SUPPOSED TO JUST PEACE OUT?
DANCE PARTY
I'D LIKE A WORD WITH YOU.
GAR-MA,
MENU
HEY.
GARMA'S TIRED FROM HIS MISSION SWEEPING DEBRIS, ALL RIGHT?
DON'T WORRY, KIDS.
SHIT HITS THE FAN, YOU LEAVE IT TO US TACTICAL TRAINING GUYS.

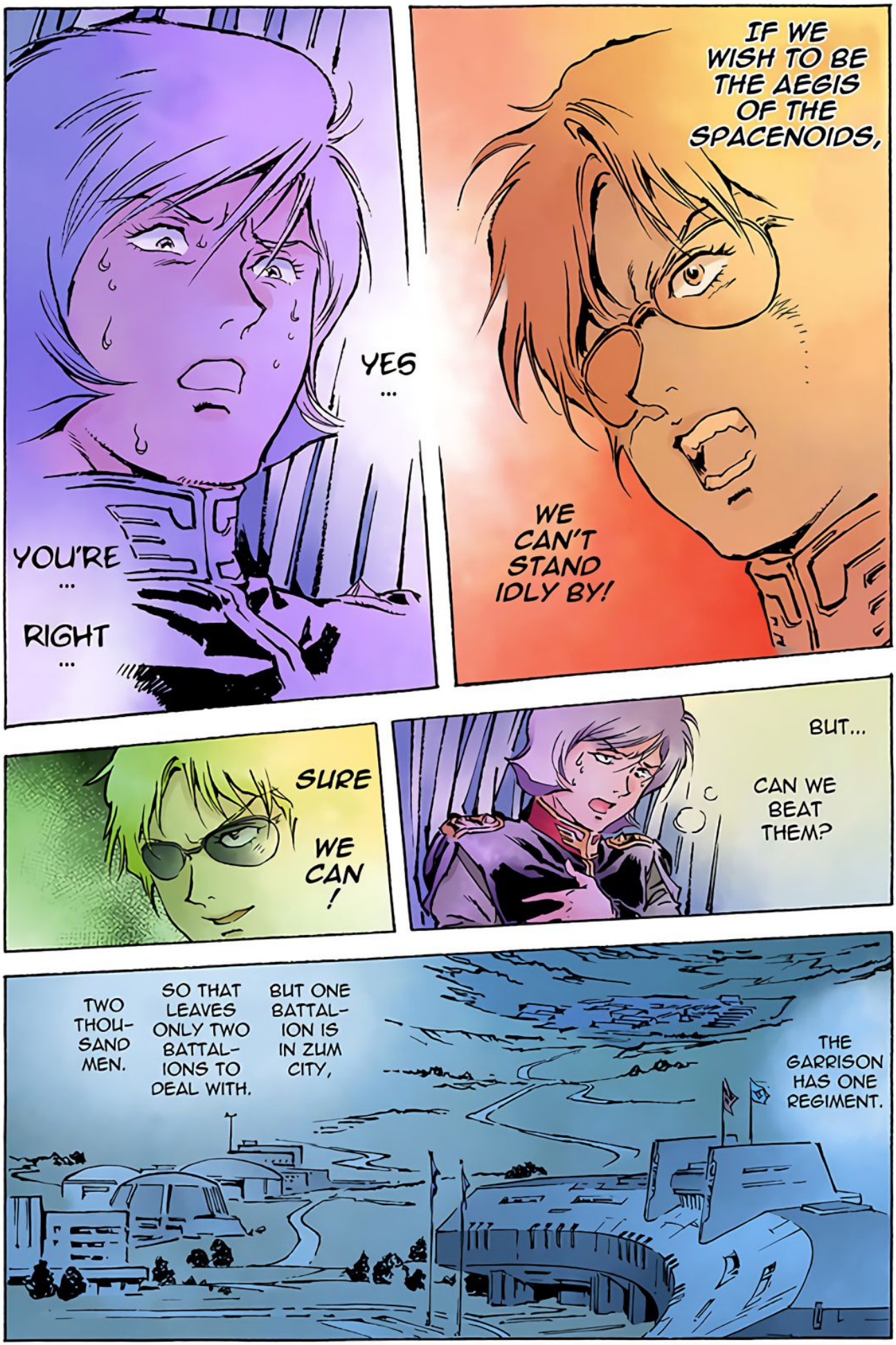

ATTACK THE FED BARRACKS ?!!
YES.
WE COULD AMBUSH, SUBDUE, AND DIS-ARM THE LOT.
B-BUT THAT ...
WE SUFFER AN OVERWHELMING DISADVANTAGE IN NUMBERS, BUT THEY'RE COMPLETELY OFF GUARD.
IT CAN BE DONE.
...
GAR-MA?
ARE YOU SCARED

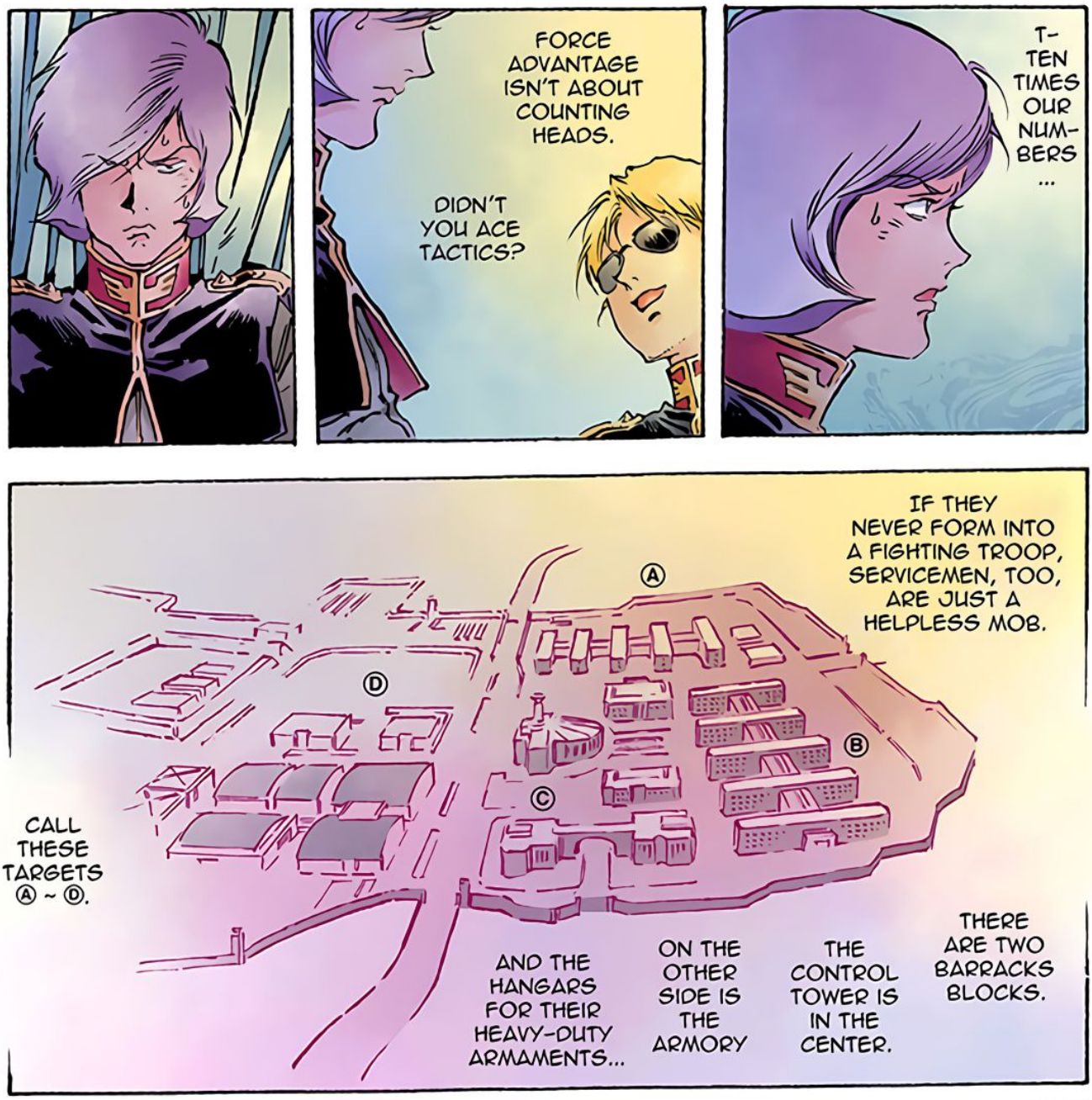

YOU WOULD COWER AT A LITTLE THING LIKE THIS?
SOMEDAY YOU MIGHT BECOME THE HEAD OF HOUSE ZABI AND MASTER OF ALL ZEON...

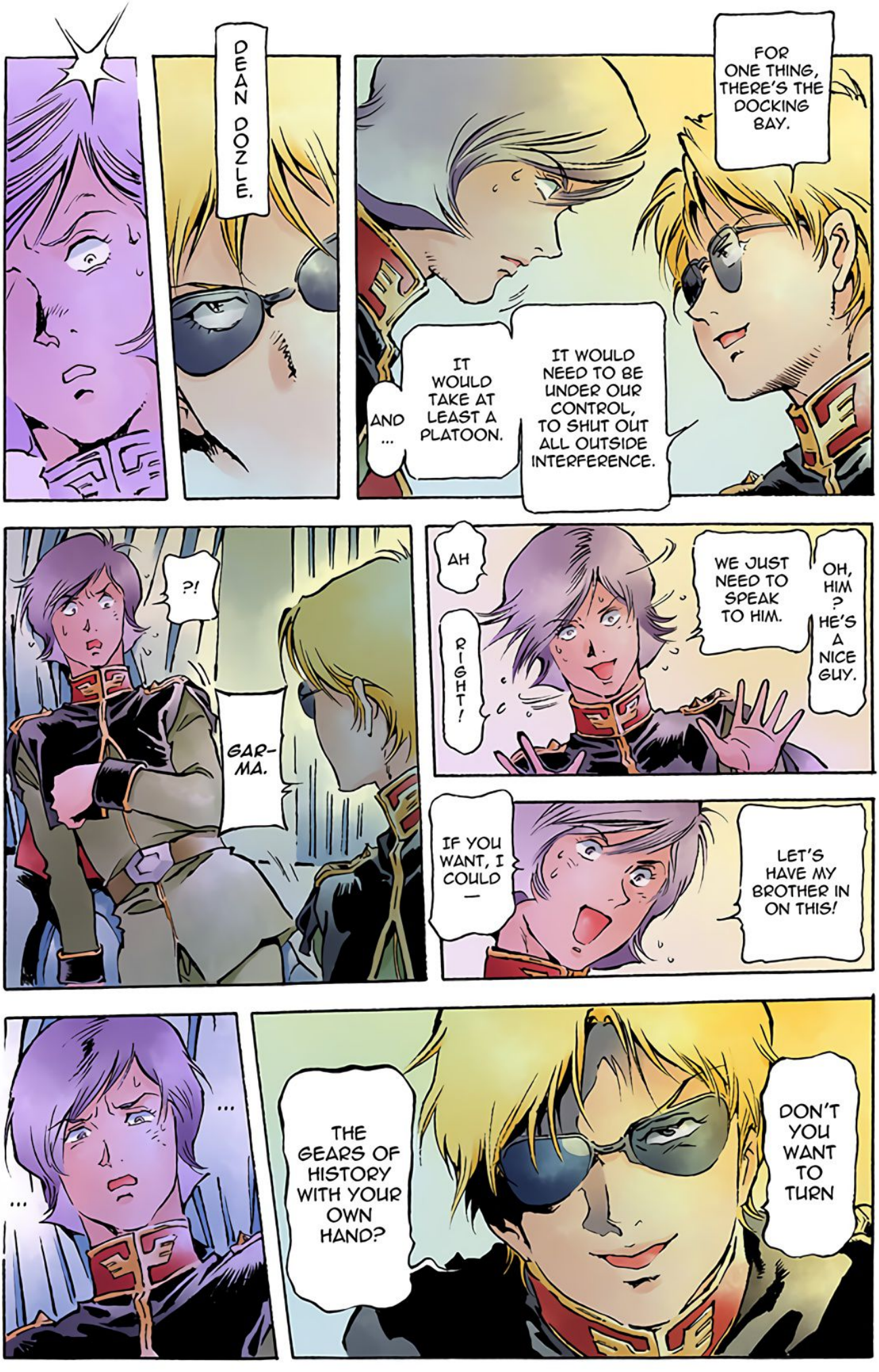

THE SHINING STAR OF THE MILITARY ACADEMY.
IF YOU LEAD US, WE CAN DO IT!
YOU'RE OUR VALE-DICTORIAN AND LEADER OF THE TRAINING UNIT—

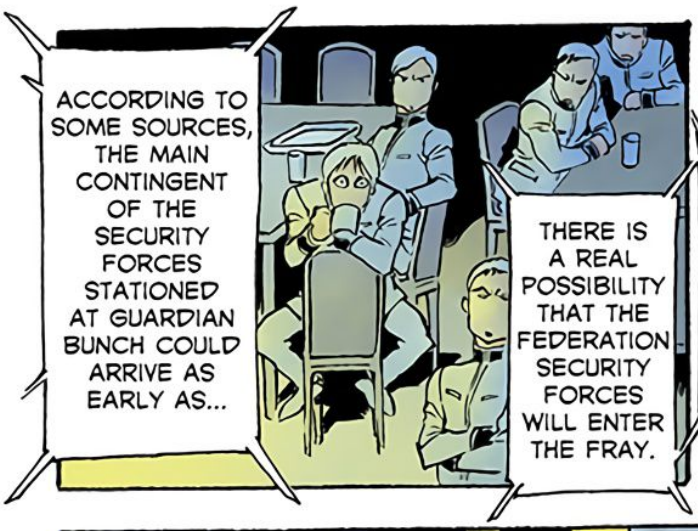

IF THE SECURITY FORCES STATIONED HERE ARE SENT INTO ZUM CITY, THE STREETS WILL RUN RED!

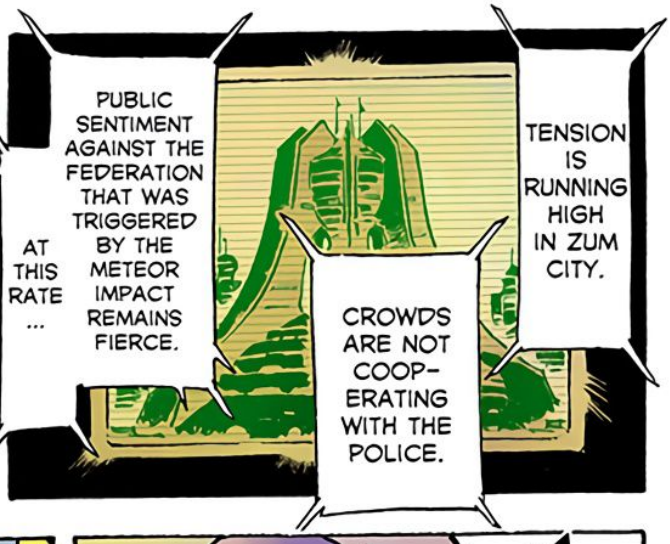

ARE WE SUPPOSED TO KEEP OUR PEACE AND WATCH THEM STRUT OFF?
EVEN THE UNDER-CLASSMEN WERE JUST ASKING— WHEN THE FEDERATION FORCES HERE MAKE A MOVE,

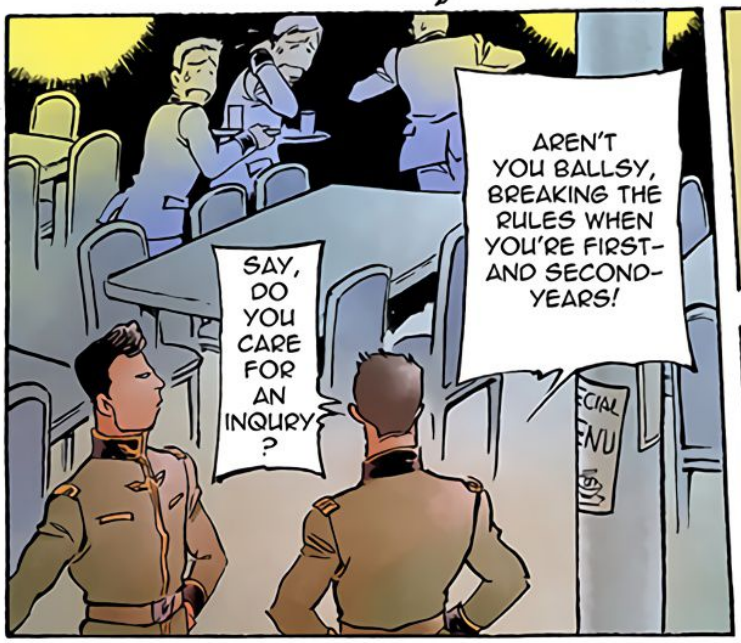

IF WE WISH TO BE THE AEGIS OF THE SPACENOIDS,
WE CAN'T STAND IDLY BY!
YES ...
YOU'RE ... RIGHT ...
BUT...
CAN WE BEAT THEM?
SURE WE CAN!
THE GARRISON HAS ONE REGIMENT.
BUT ONE BATTALION IS IN ZUM CITY,
SO THAT LEAVES ONLY TWO BATTALIONS TO DEAL WITH.
TWO THOUSAND MEN.

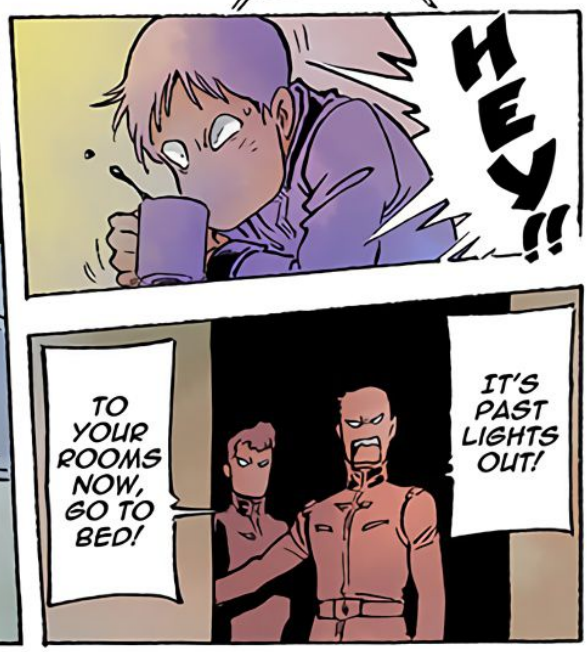

T-TEN TIMES OUR NUM-BERS ...
FORCE ADVANTAGE ISN'T ABOUT COUNTING HEADS.
DIDN'T YOU ACE TACTICS?
IF THEY NEVER FORM INTO A FIGHTING TROOP, SERVICEMEN, TOO, ARE JUST A HELPLESS MOB.
Ⓐ
Ⓑ
Ⓒ
Ⓓ
CALL THESE TARGETS Ⓐ ~ Ⓓ.
AND THE HANGARS FOR THEIR HEAVY-DUTY ARMAMENTS...
ON THE OTHER SIDE IS THE ARMORY
THE CONTROL TOWER IS IN THE CENTER.
THERE ARE TWO BARRACKS BLOCKS.
I'M NOT DONE YET.
DON'T BE ADMIRING ME,
WHEN DID YOU...
MY GOD...
ON THE MAP HERE.
I'VE MARKED THEM

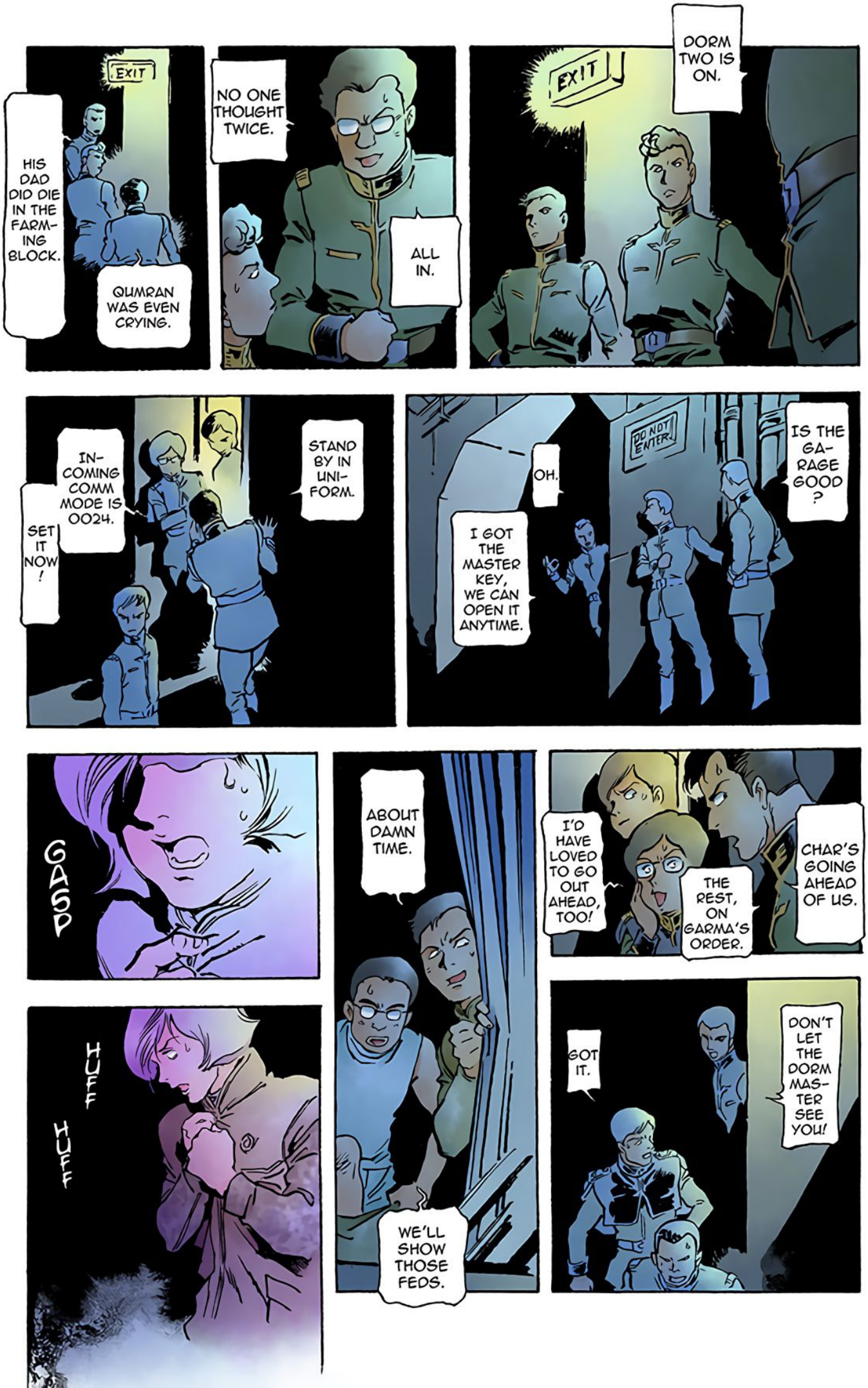

DEAN DOZLE.
FOR ONE THING, THERE'S THE DOCKING BAY.
IT WOULD NEED TO BE UNDER OUR CONTROL, TO SHUT OUT ALL OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE.
IT WOULD TAKE AT LEAST A PLATOON.
AND ...
?!
GAR-MA.
AH
RIGHT!
WE JUST NEED TO SPEAK TO HIM.
OH, HIM? HE'S A NICE GUY.
IF YOU WANT, I COULD —
LET'S HAVE MY BROTHER IN ON THIS!
...
...
THE GEARS OF HISTORY WITH YOUR OWN HAND?
DON'T YOU WANT TO TURN

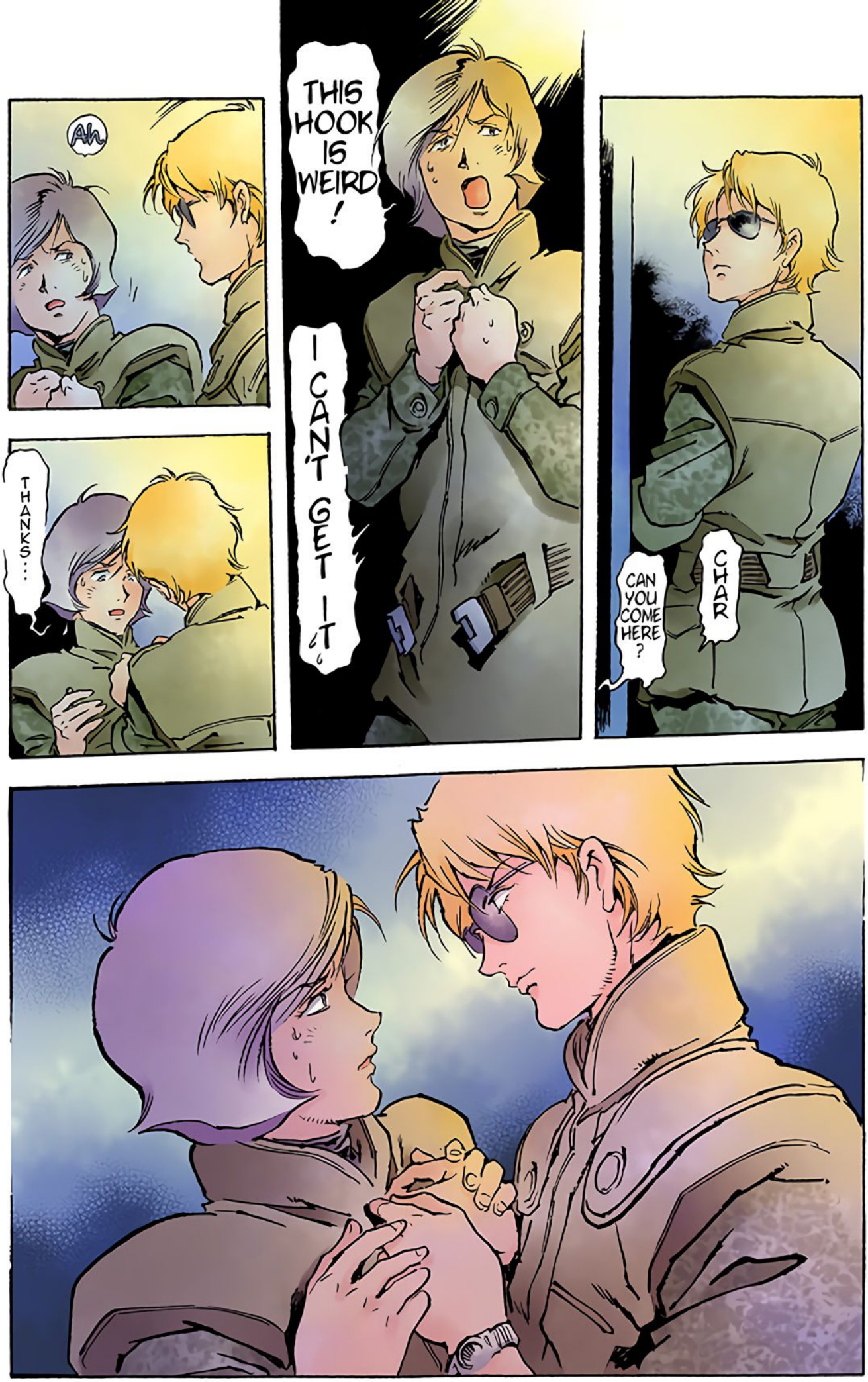

ACCORDING TO SOME SOURCES, THE MAIN CONTINGENT OF THE SECURITY FORCES STATIONED AT GUARDIAN BUNCH COULD ARRIVE AS EARLY AS...
THERE IS A REAL POSSIBILITY THAT THE FEDERATION SECURITY FORCES WILL ENTER THE FRAY.

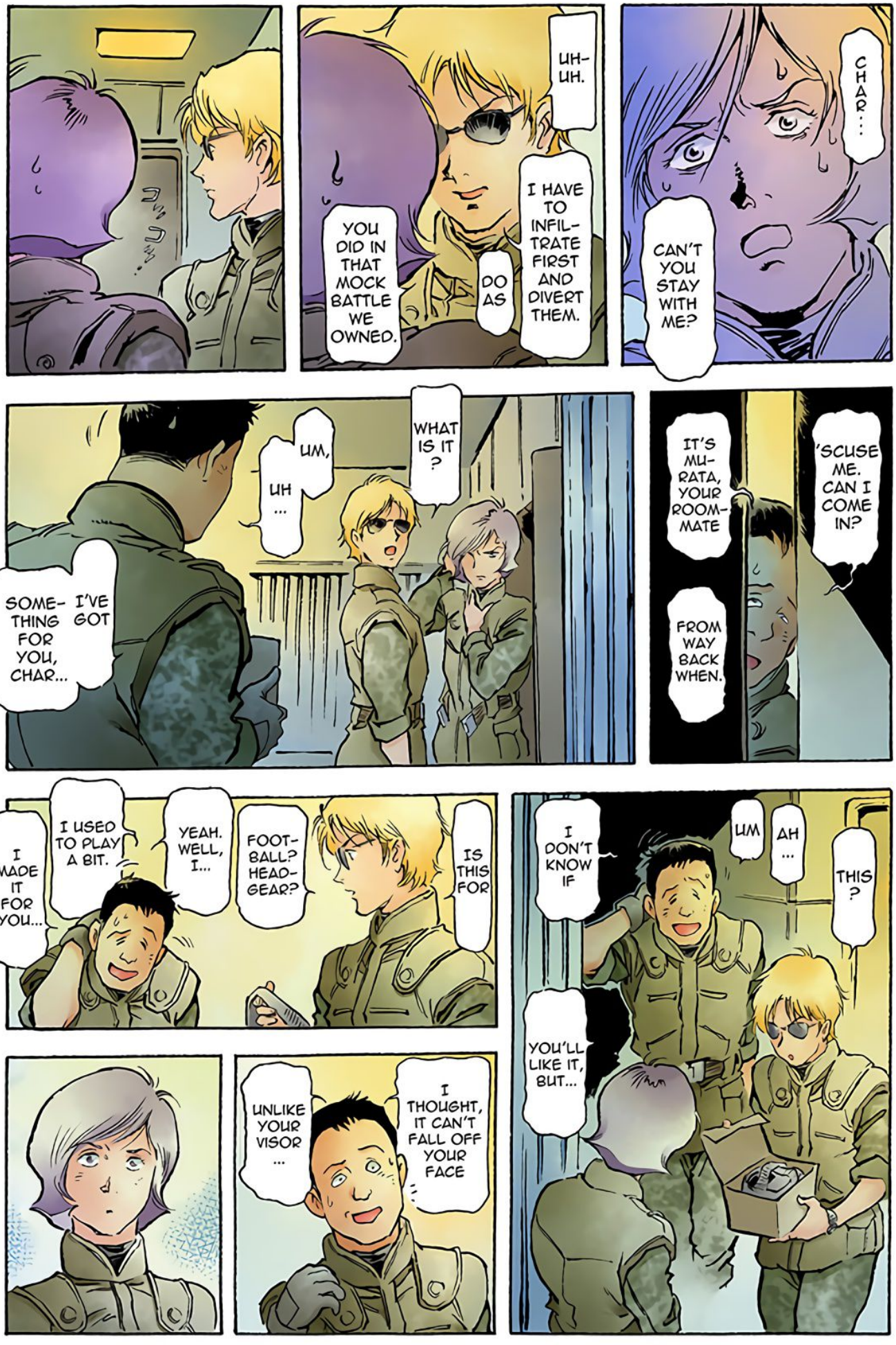

AT THIS RATE ...
PUBLIC SENTIMENT AGAINST THE FEDERATION THAT WAS TRIGGERED BY THE METEOR IMPACT REMAINS FIERCE.
CROWDS ARE NOT COOP-ERATING WITH THE POLICE.
TENSION IS RUNNING HIGH IN ZUM CITY.

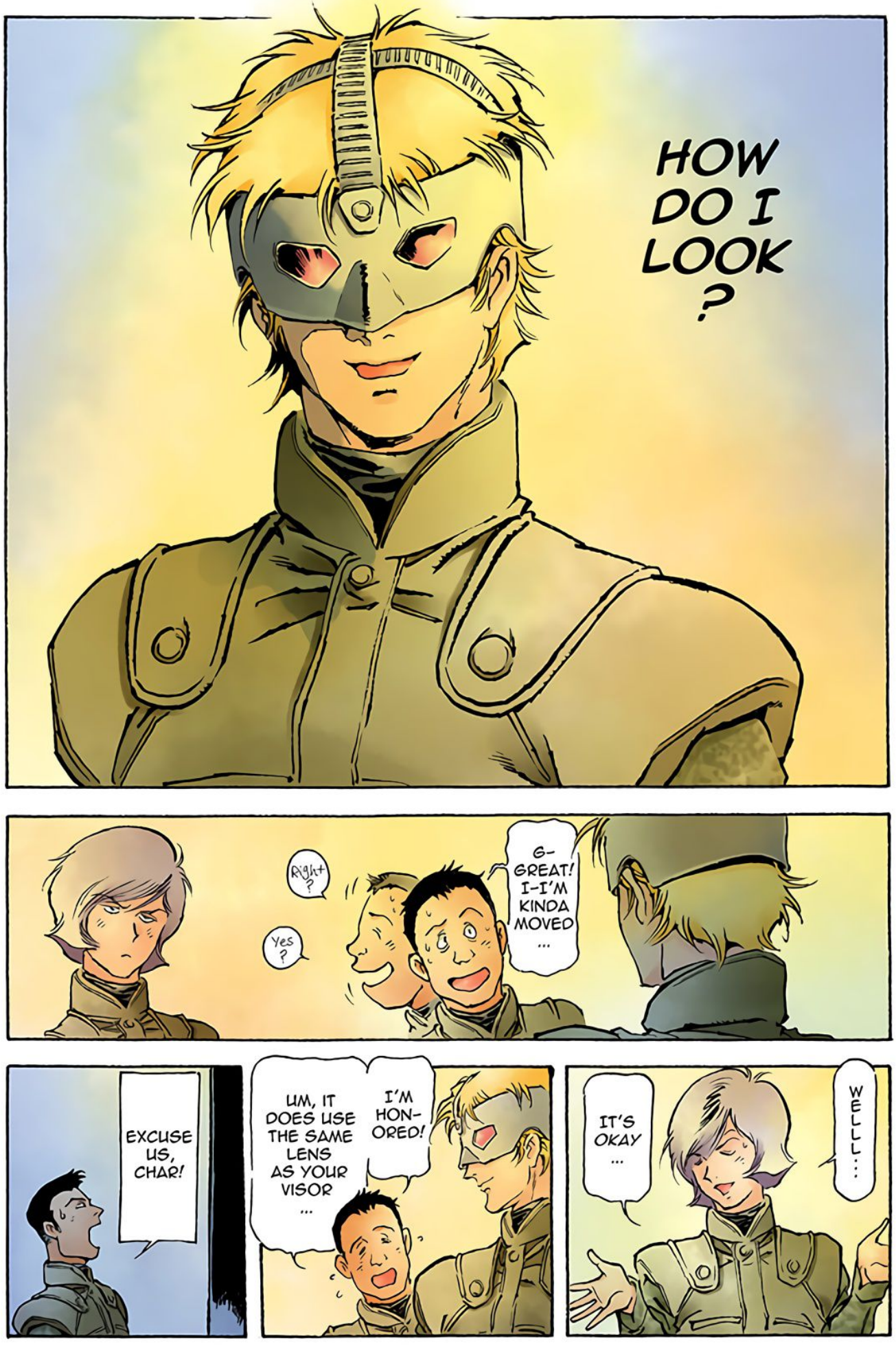

SAY, DO YOU CARE FOR AN INQUIRY?
AREN'T YOU BALLSY, BREAKING THE RULES WHEN YOU'RE FIRST- AND SECOND-YEARS!

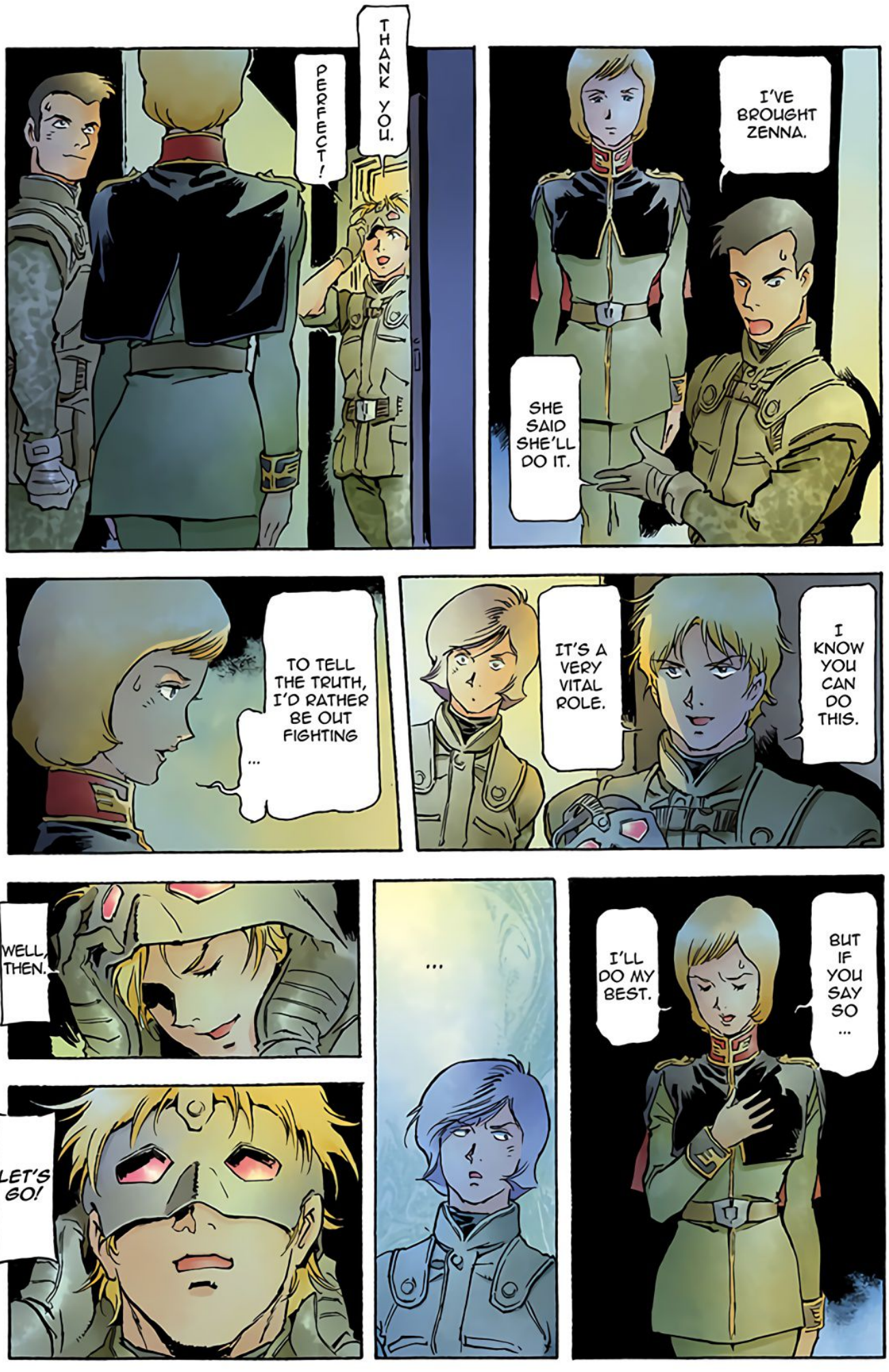

HEY!!
TO YOUR ROOMS NOW, GO TO BED!
IT'S PAST LIGHTS OUT!

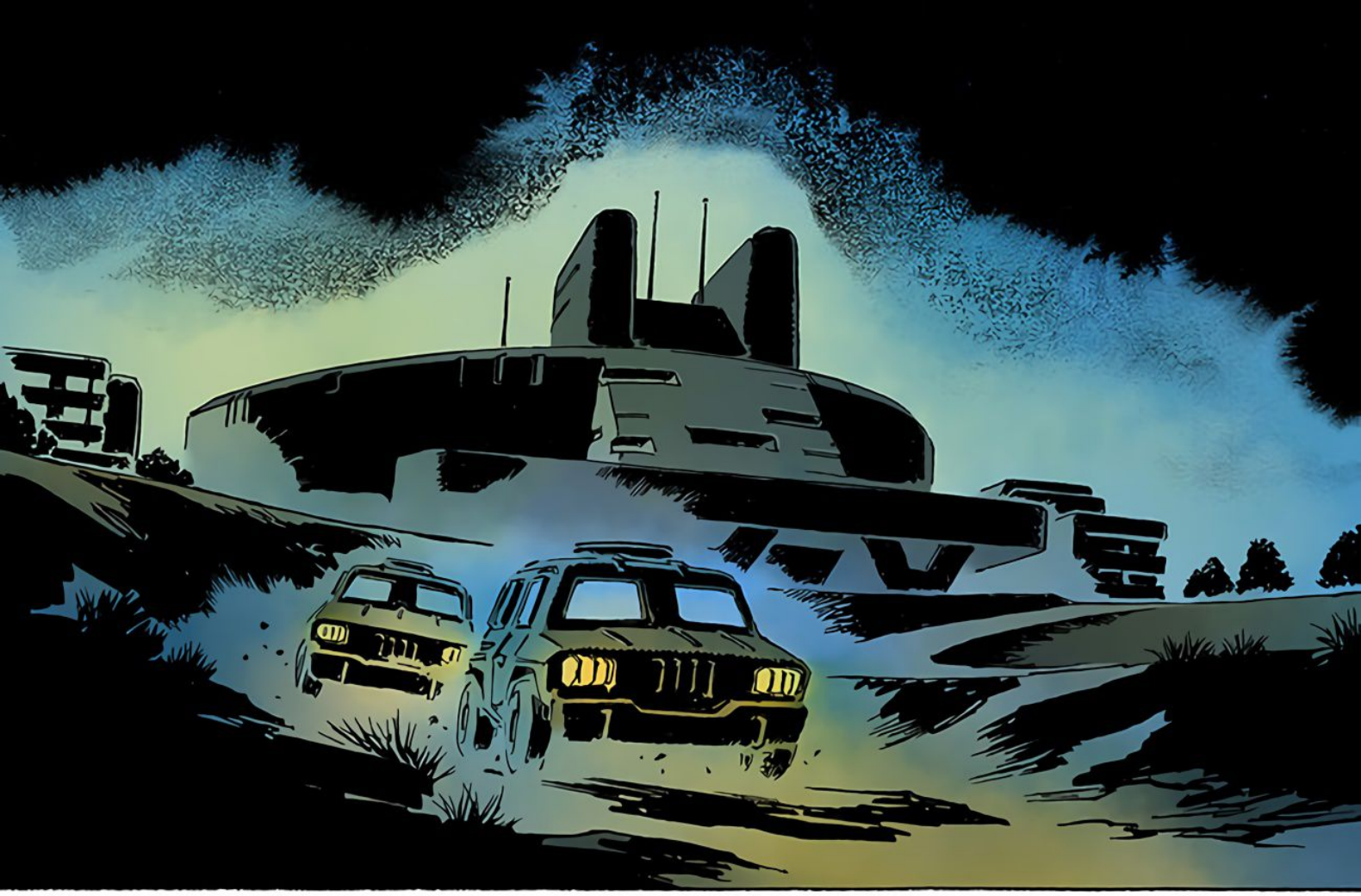

EXIT
HIS DAD DID DIE IN THE FARM-ING BLOCK.
QUMRAN WAS EVEN CRYING.
NO ONE THOUGHT TWICE.
ALL IN.
EXIT
DORM TWO IS ON.
IN-COMING COMM MODE IS 0024.
SET IT NOW!
STAND BY IN UNI-FORM.
DO NOT ENTER
OH.
I GOT THE MASTER KEY, WE CAN OPEN IT ANYTIME.
IS THE GA-RAGE GOOD?
GASP
ABOUT DAMN TIME.
WE'LL SHOW THOSE FEDS.
I'D HAVE LOVED TO GO OUT AHEAD, TOO!
THE REST, ON GARMA'S ORDER.
CHAR'S GOING AHEAD OF US.
HUFF
HUFF
GOT IT.
DON'T LET THE DORM MAS-TER SEE YOU!


Ah
THIS HOOK IS WEIRD!
I CAN'T GET IT
CHAR
CAN YOU COME HERE?
THANKS...

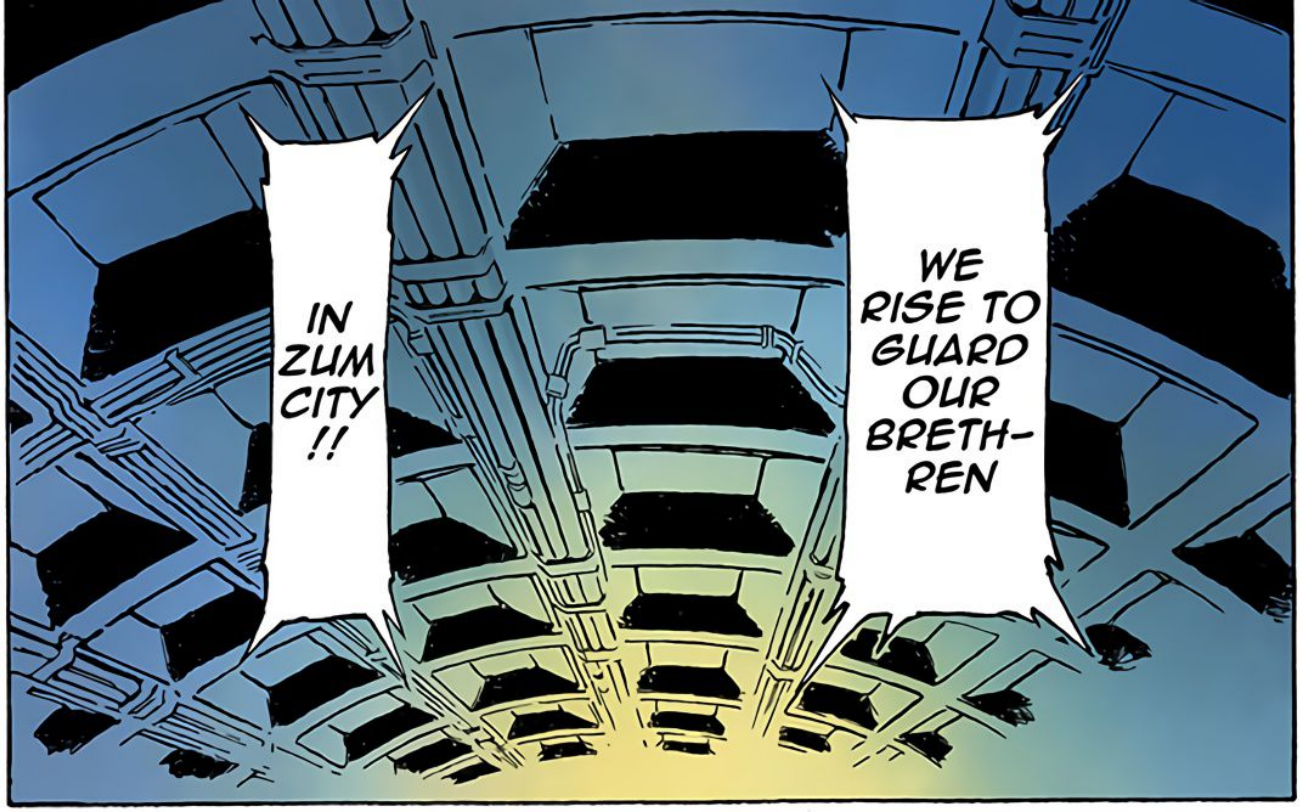

CHAR...
CAN'T YOU STAY WITH ME?
UH-UH.
I HAVE TO INFIL-TRATE FIRST AND DIVERT THEM.
DO AS YOU DID IN THAT MOCK BATTLE WE OWNED.
'SCUSE ME. CAN I COME IN?
IT'S MU-RATA, YOUR ROOM-MATE
FROM WAY BACK WHEN.
WHAT IS IT ?
UM, UH ...
I'VE GOT SOME-THING FOR YOU, CHAR...
UM
AH ...
THIS ?
I DON'T KNOW IF YOU'LL LIKE IT, BUT...
IS THIS FOR FOOT-BALL? HEAD-GEAR?
YEAH. WELL, I...
I USED TO PLAY A BIT.
I MADE IT FOR YOU...
I THOUGHT, IT CAN'T FALL OFF YOUR FACE
UNLIKE YOUR VISOR ...


HOW DO I LOOK?
G-GREAT! I-I'M KINDA MOVED...
Right?
Yes?
WELLL...
IT'S OKAY...
I'M HON-ORED!
UM, IT DOES USE THE SAME LENS AS YOUR VISOR...
EXCUSE US, CHAR!

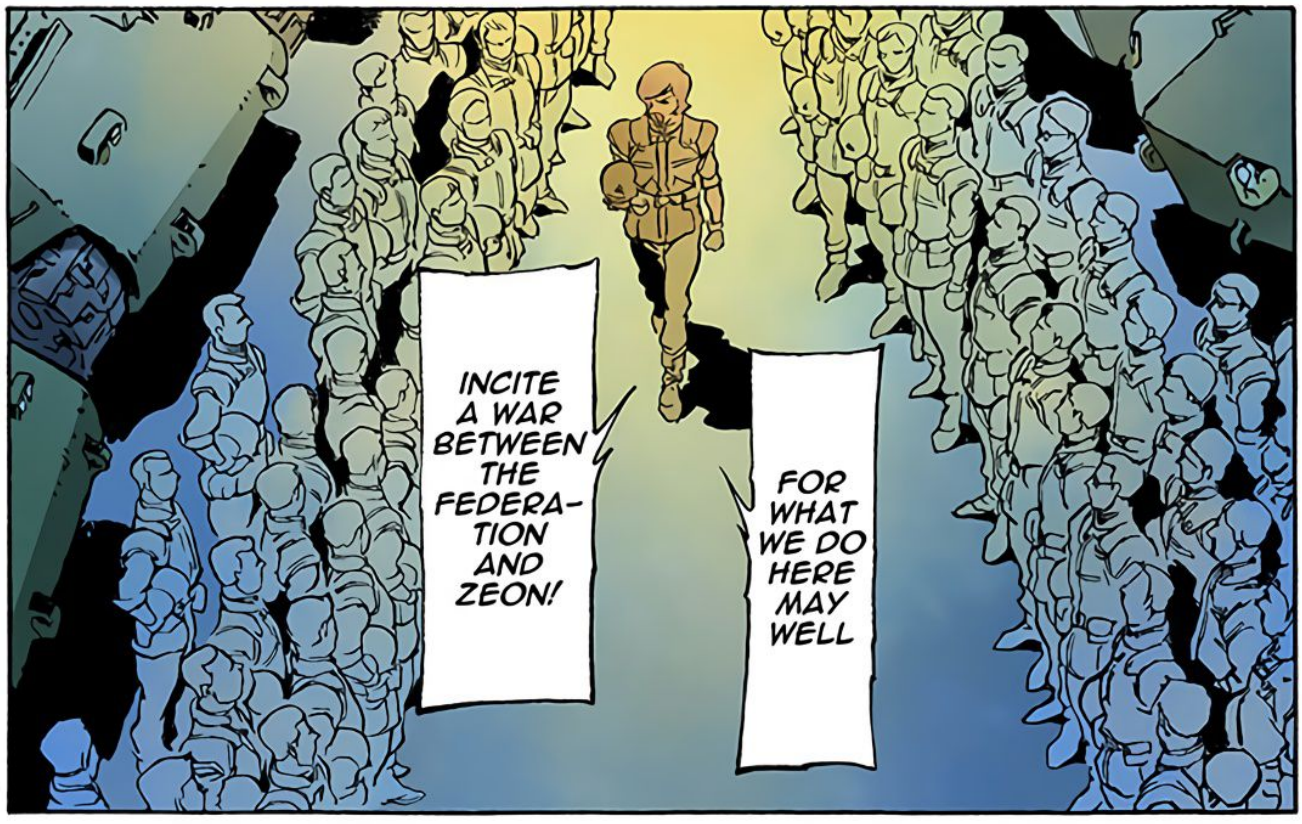

I'VE BROUGHT ZENNA.
SHE SAID SHE'LL DO IT.
THANK YOU.
PERFECT!
I KNOW YOU CAN DO THIS.
IT'S A VERY VITAL ROLE.
TO TELL THE TRUTH, I'D RATHER BE OUT FIGHTING ...
BUT IF YOU SAY SO ...
I'LL DO MY BEST.
...
WELL, THEN.
LET'S GO!

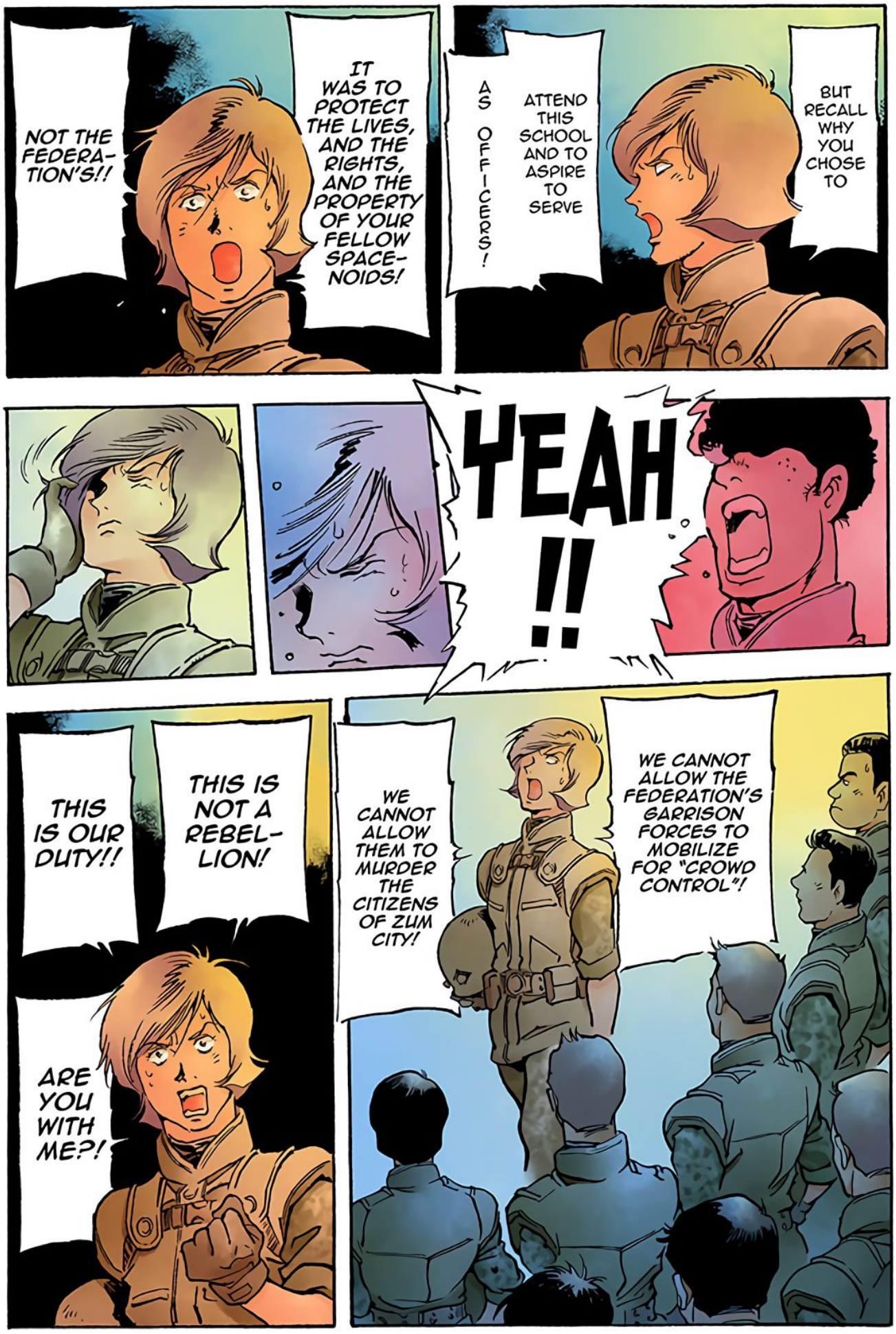


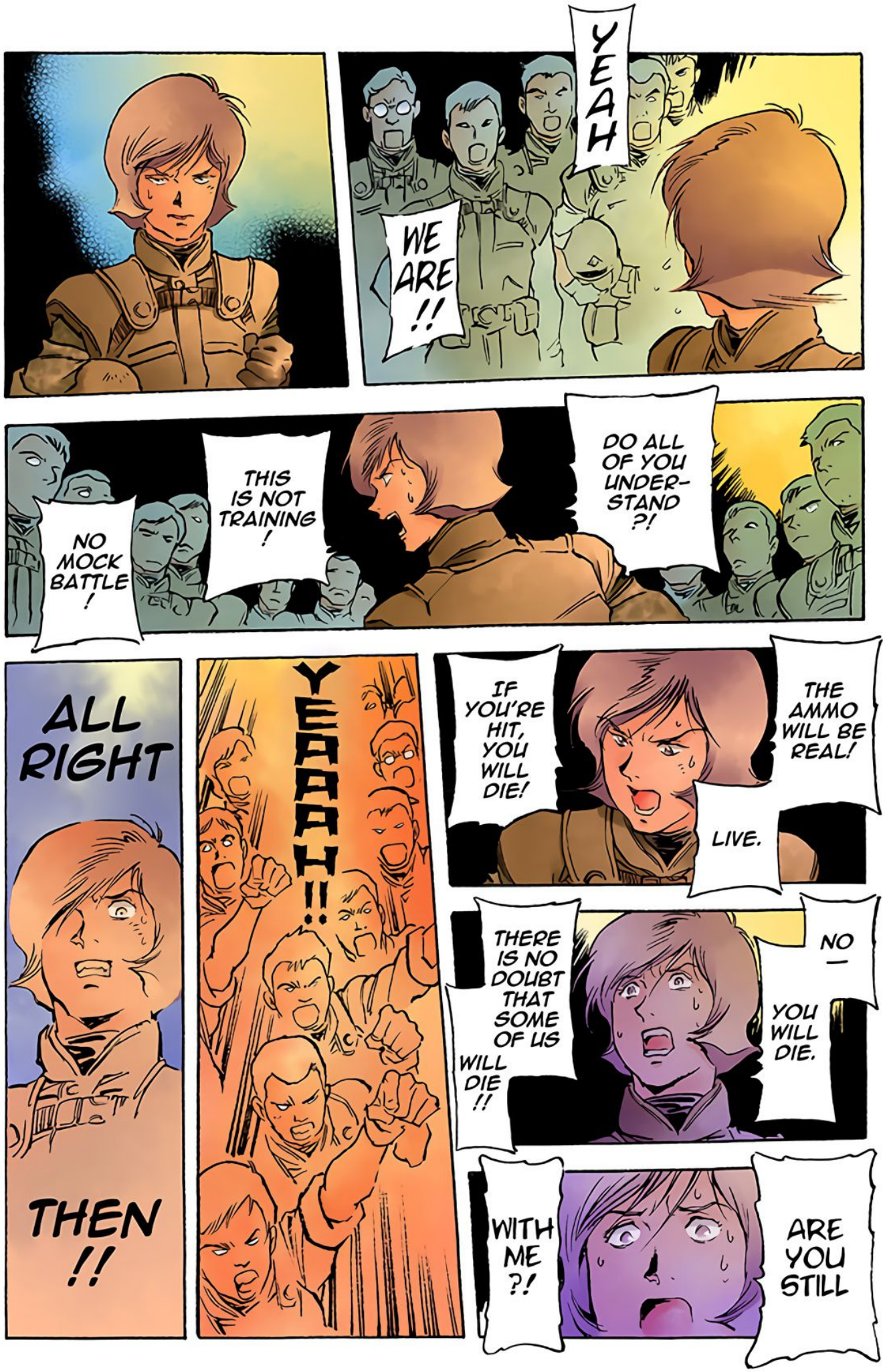
YOUNG MASTER !
YOU BETTER HOLD UP,
HEH


WE RISE TO GUARD OUR BRETH-REN
IN ZUM CITY !!

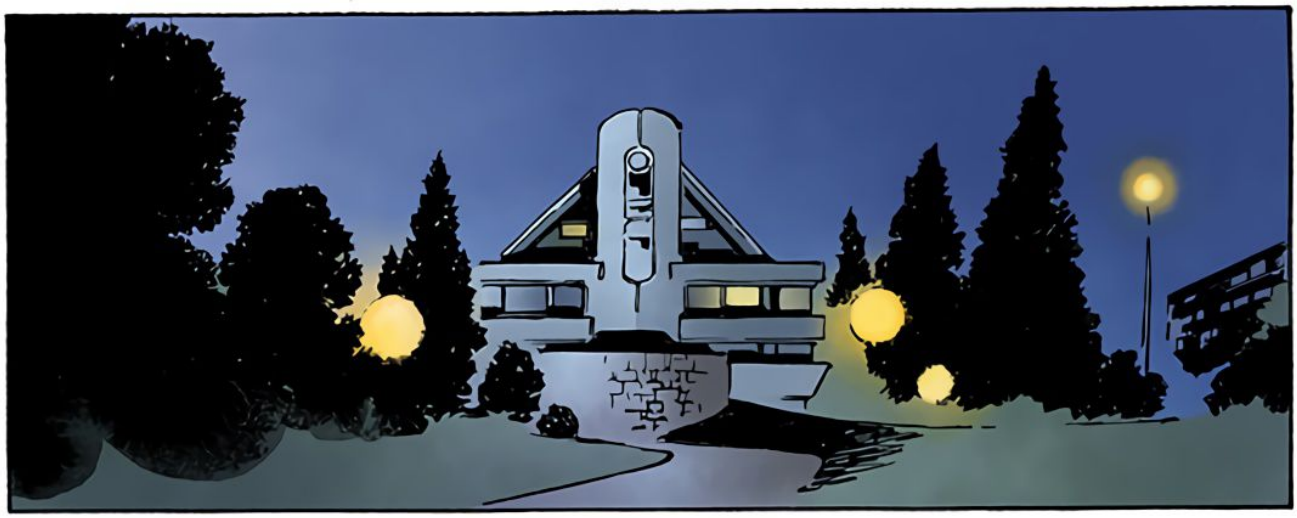
THIS NIGHT WILL
GO DOWN IN HIS-TORY!

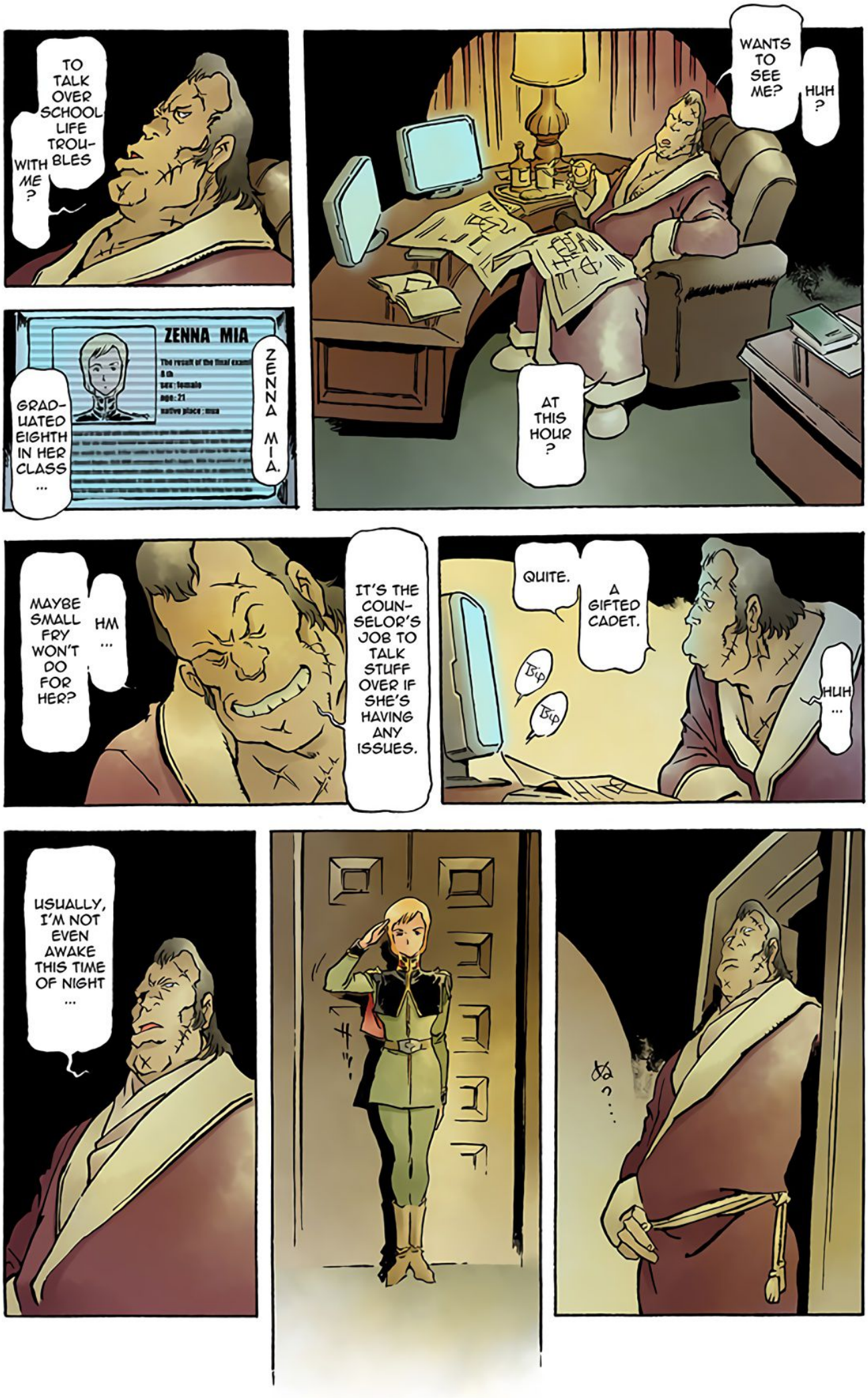

FOR WHAT WE DO HERE MAY WELL
INCITE A WAR BETWEEN THE FEDERA-TION AND ZEON!


BUT RECALL WHY YOU CHOSE TO
ATTEND THIS SCHOOL AND TO ASPIRE TO SERVE
AS OFFICERS!
IT WAS TO PROTECT THE LIVES, AND THE RIGHTS, AND THE PROPERTY OF YOUR FELLOW SPACE-NOIDS!
NOT THE FEDERA-TION'S!!
YEAH !!
WE CANNOT ALLOW THE FEDERATION'S GARRISON FORCES TO MOBILIZE FOR "CROWD CONTROL"!
WE CANNOT ALLOW THEM TO MURDER THE CITIZENS OF ZUM CITY!
THIS IS NOT A REBEL-LION!
THIS IS OUR DUTY!!
ARE YOU WITH ME?!

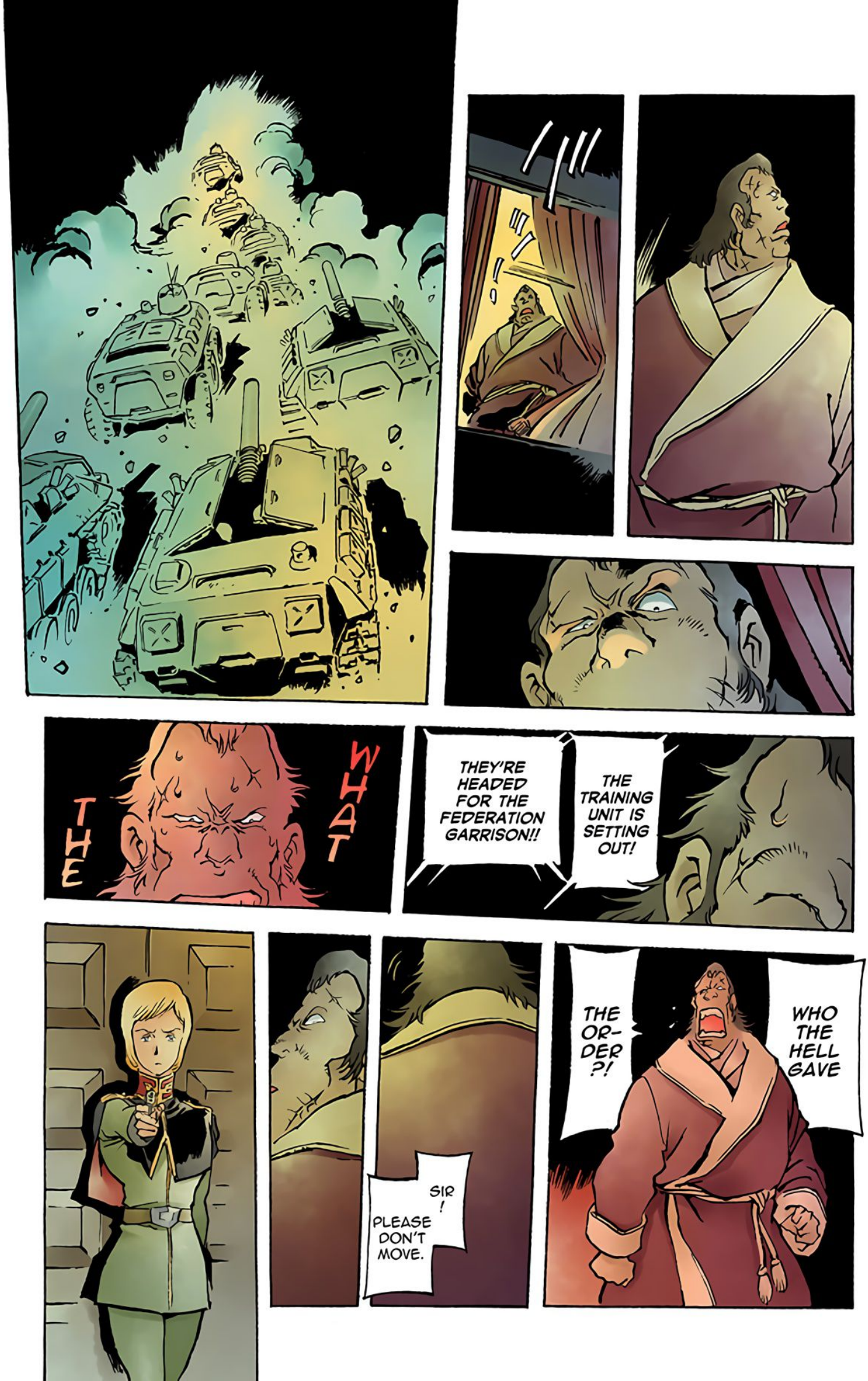

YEAH
WE ARE !!
DO ALL OF YOU UNDER-STAND ?!
THIS IS NOT TRAINING !
NO MOCK BATTLE !
ALL RIGHT
THEN !!
YEAAAH !!
IF YOU'RE HIT, YOU WILL DIE!
THE AMMO WILL BE REAL!
LIVE.
THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT SOME OF US WILL DIE !!
NO — YOU WILL DIE.
WITH ME ?!
ARE YOU STILL

TO
BATTLE!!

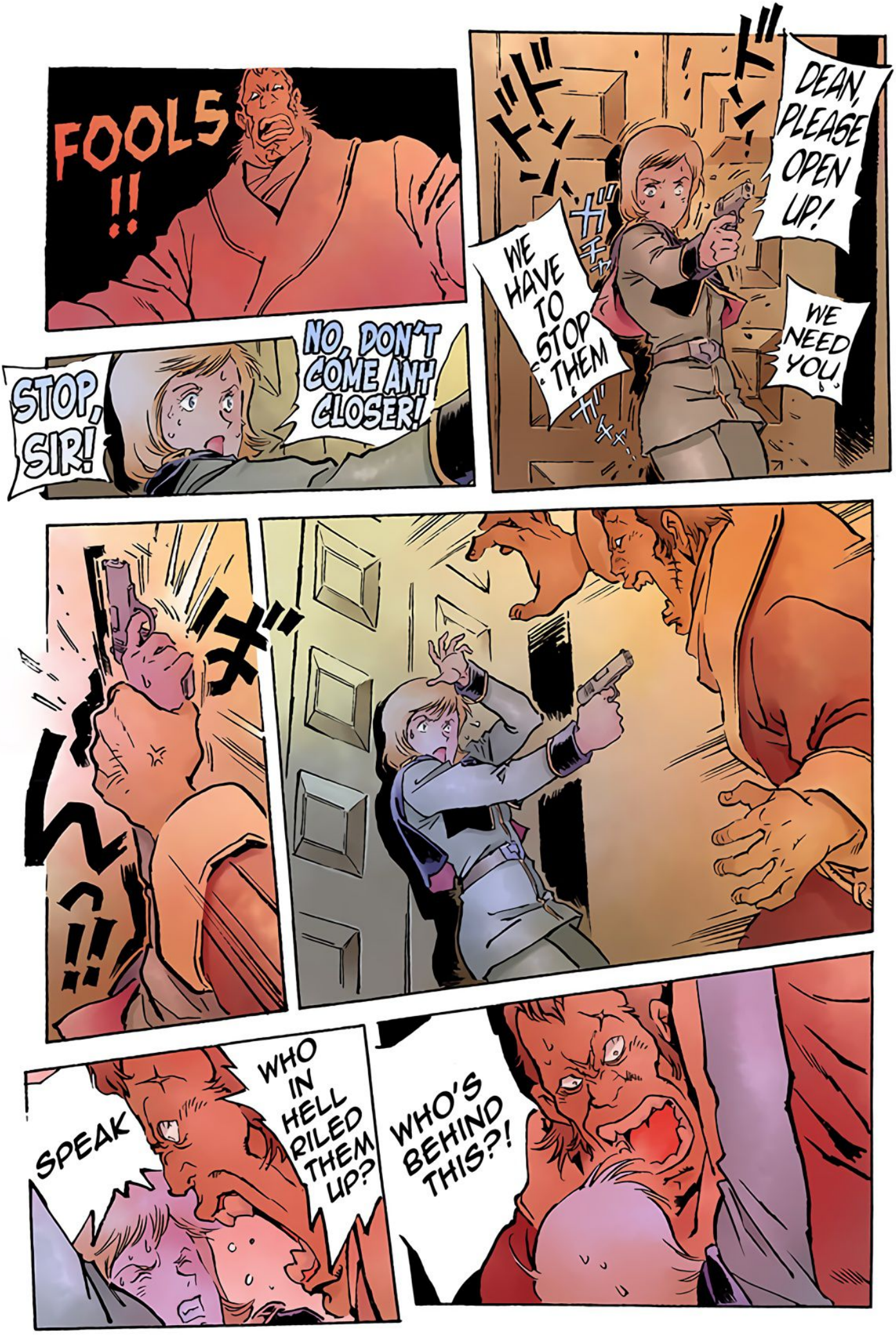


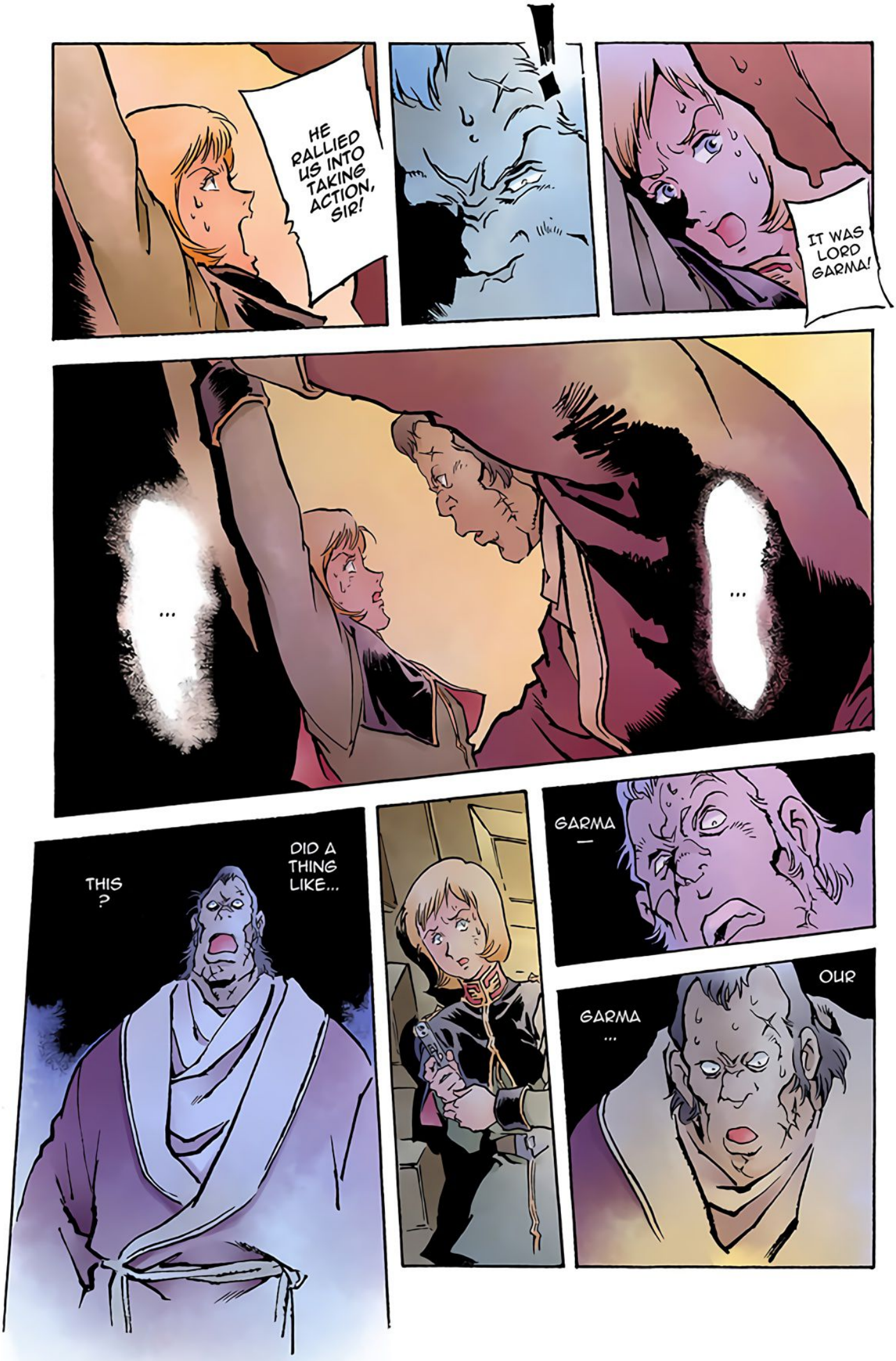

TO TALK OVER SCHOOL LIFE TROU-BLES WITH ME ?
WANTS TO SEE ME?
HUH ?
AT THIS HOUR ?
ZENNA MIA
ZENNA MIA.
GRAD-UATED EIGHTH IN HER CLASS ...
MAYBE SMALL FRY WON'T DO FOR HER?
HM ...
IT'S THE COUN-SELOR'S JOB TO TALK STUFF OVER IF SHE'S HAVING ANY ISSUES.
QUITE.
A GIFTED CADET.
BIP
BIP
HUH ...
USUALLY, I'M NOT EVEN AWAKE THIS TIME OF NIGHT ...

NO—
SIT.
I'LL HEAR YOU OUT.
WELL,
I APOL-OGIZE
FOR THE INTRU-SION.
MONEY?
BOYS?
SICK OF THE MILITARY?
WHAT ISSUE MIGHT YOU HAVE?
TALK FROM THERE.
FINE.
I'LL JUST STAND HERE, SIR.
DO YOU WANT TO TALK TO ME ABOUT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT?
THEN WHAT
UH-HUH.
AND I HAVE NO COM-PLAINTS ABOUT THE SCHOOL.
I'M HAPPY TO SERVE IN THE MILI-TARY.
NONE OF THE ABOVE, SIR.
TIME?
MY
I JUST WANT, SIR, A LITTLE OF YOUR TIME.
I'M NOT HERE SO MUCH TO TALK ...


WHAT THE
THEY'RE HEADED FOR THE FEDERATION GARRISON!!
THE TRAINING UNIT IS SETTING OUT!
WHO THE HELL GAVE THE OR-DER?!
SIR!
PLEASE DON'T MOVE.

PLEASE STAY WHERE YOU ARE, SIR!
DON'T MOVE!
カチャ!
YOU ...
WHY
THE TRAIN-ING UNIT'S RUN AMOK!
CAP-TAIN!!
SIR!!


FOOLS !!
DEAN, PLEASE OPEN UP!
WE HAVE TO STOP THEM
WE NEED YOU
NO, DON'T COME ANY CLOSER!
STOP, SIR!
WHO'S BEHIND THIS?!
WHO IN HELL RILED THEM UP?
SPEAK


HE RALLIED US INTO TAKING ACTION, SIR!
IT WAS LORD GARMA!
...
...
THIS ?
DID A THING LIKE...
GARMA —
GARMA ...
OUR

GOOD.
THE REAR GUARD'S COME INTO EFFECTIVE RANGE!

FIRE !!
COM-MENCE OPERA-TION!

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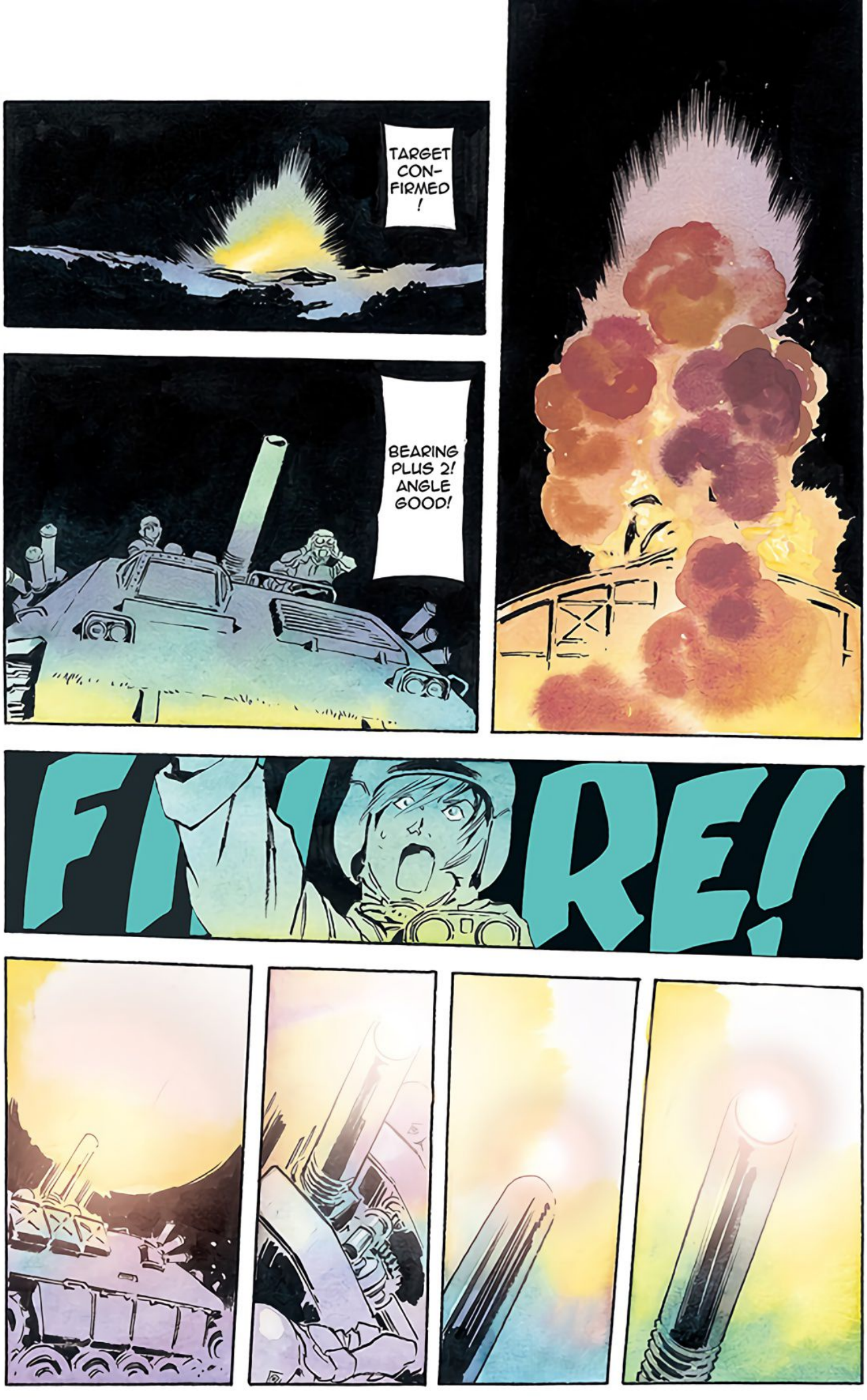
TARGET CON-FIRMED!
BEARING PLUS 2! ANGLE GOOD!
FIRE!

WHAT THE HELL?!
Agh
N-
NO WAY!
AN AT-TACK?!

ATTACK?
WE'RE UN-DER
UN-DER AT-TACK !!
WE ARE UNDER ATTACK!
COM-MAND, COM-MAND!
WE'RE TAKING HEAVY MORTAR FIRE!!
THIS IS GUARD-IAN BUNCH GARRI-SON.

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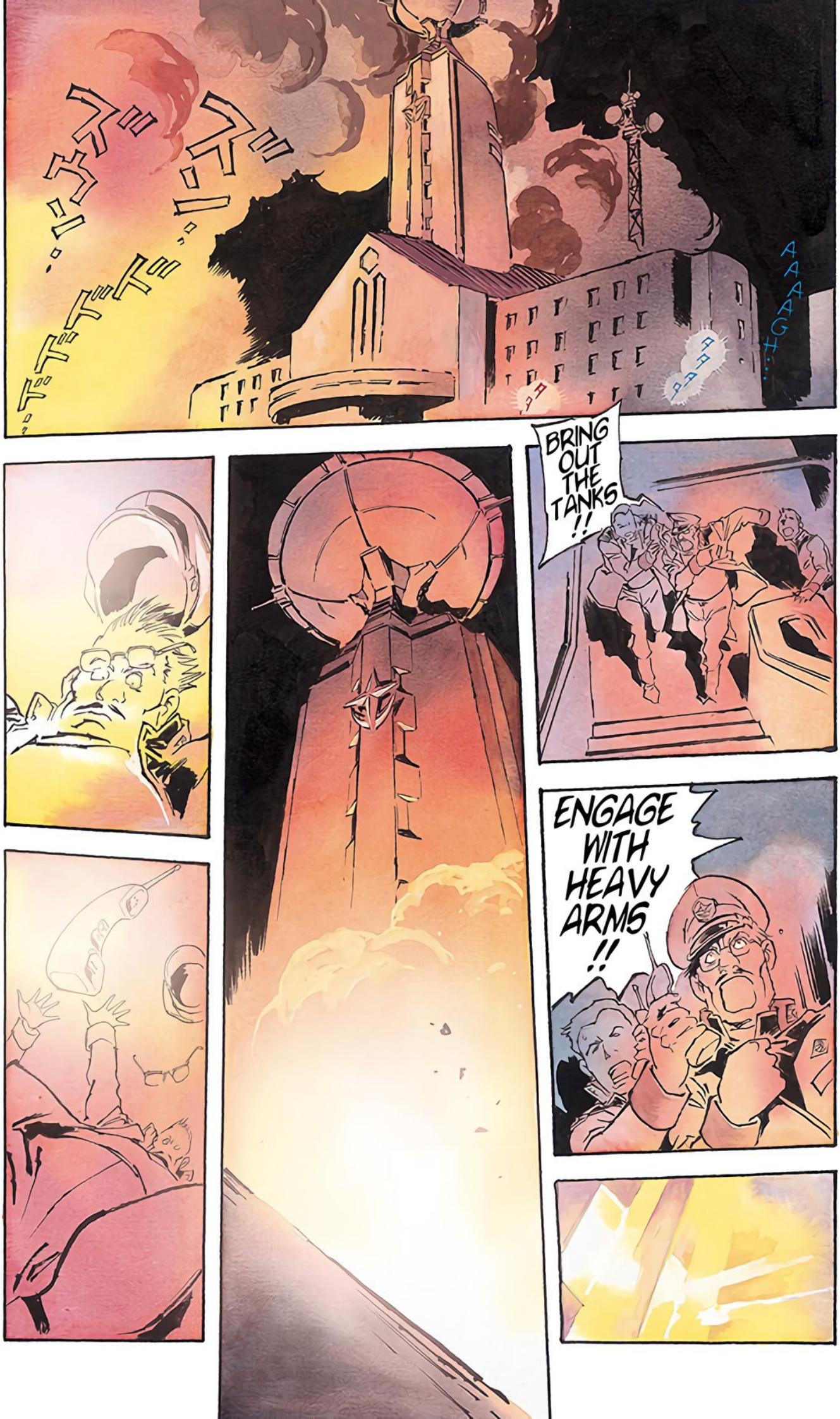
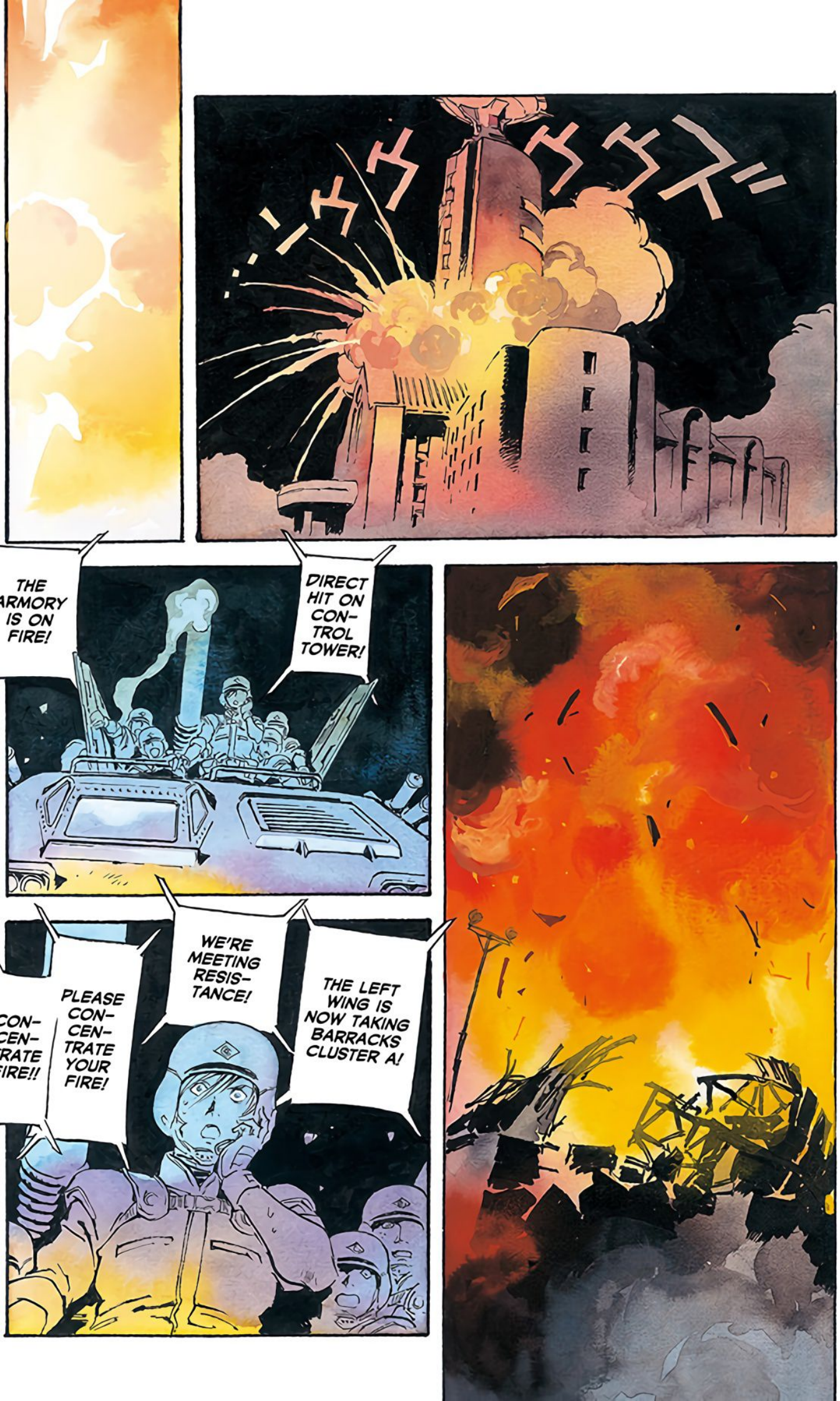

AAAGH...
BRING OUT THE TANKS !!
ENGAGE WITH HEAVY ARMS !!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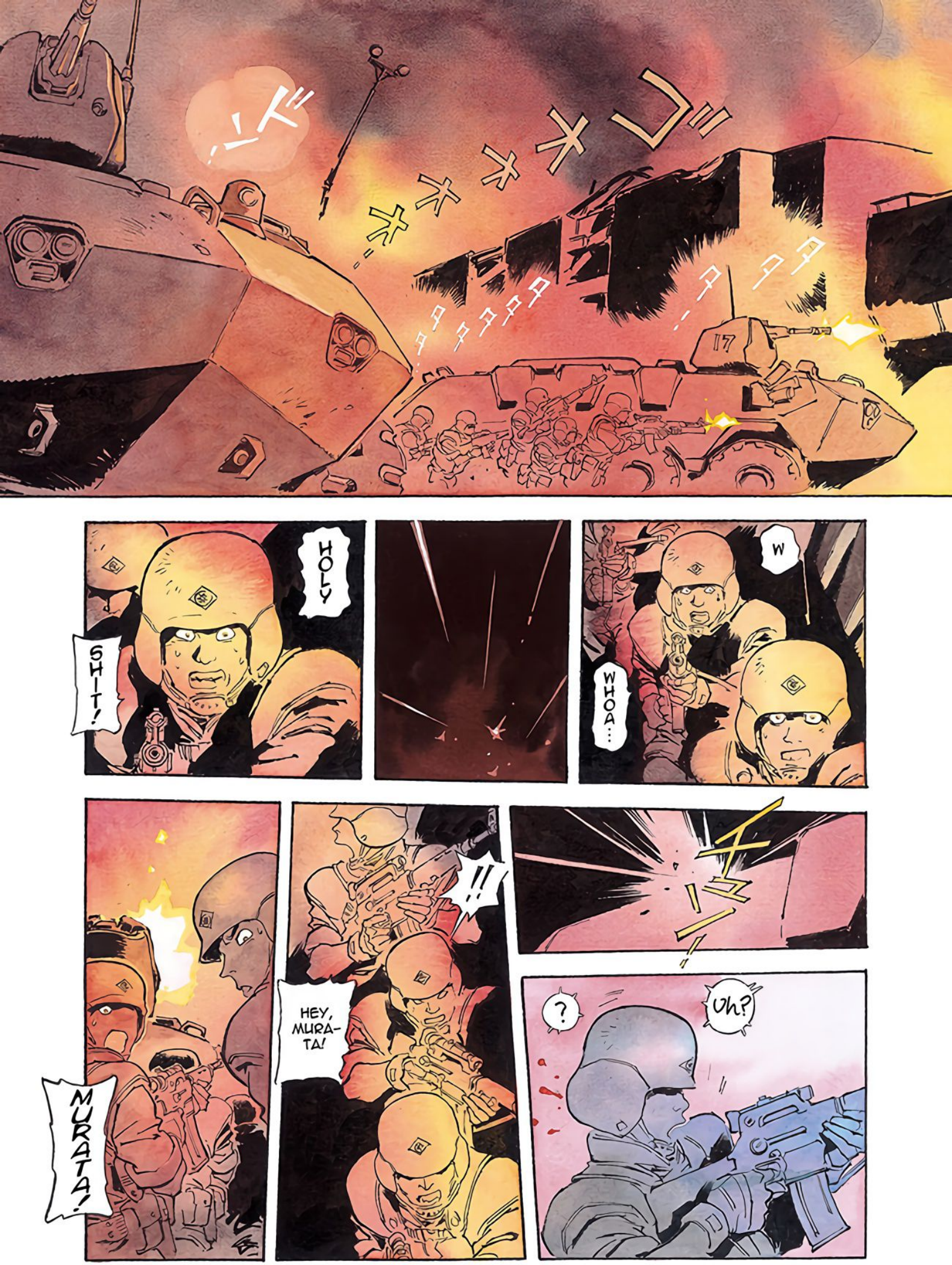
THE ARMORY IS ON FIRE!
DIRECT HIT ON CON-TROL TOWER!
WE'RE MEETING RESIS-TANCE!
THE LEFT WING IS NOW TAKING BARRACKS CLUSTER A!
PLEASE CON-CEN-TRATE YOUR FIRE!
CON-CEN-TRATE FIRE!!



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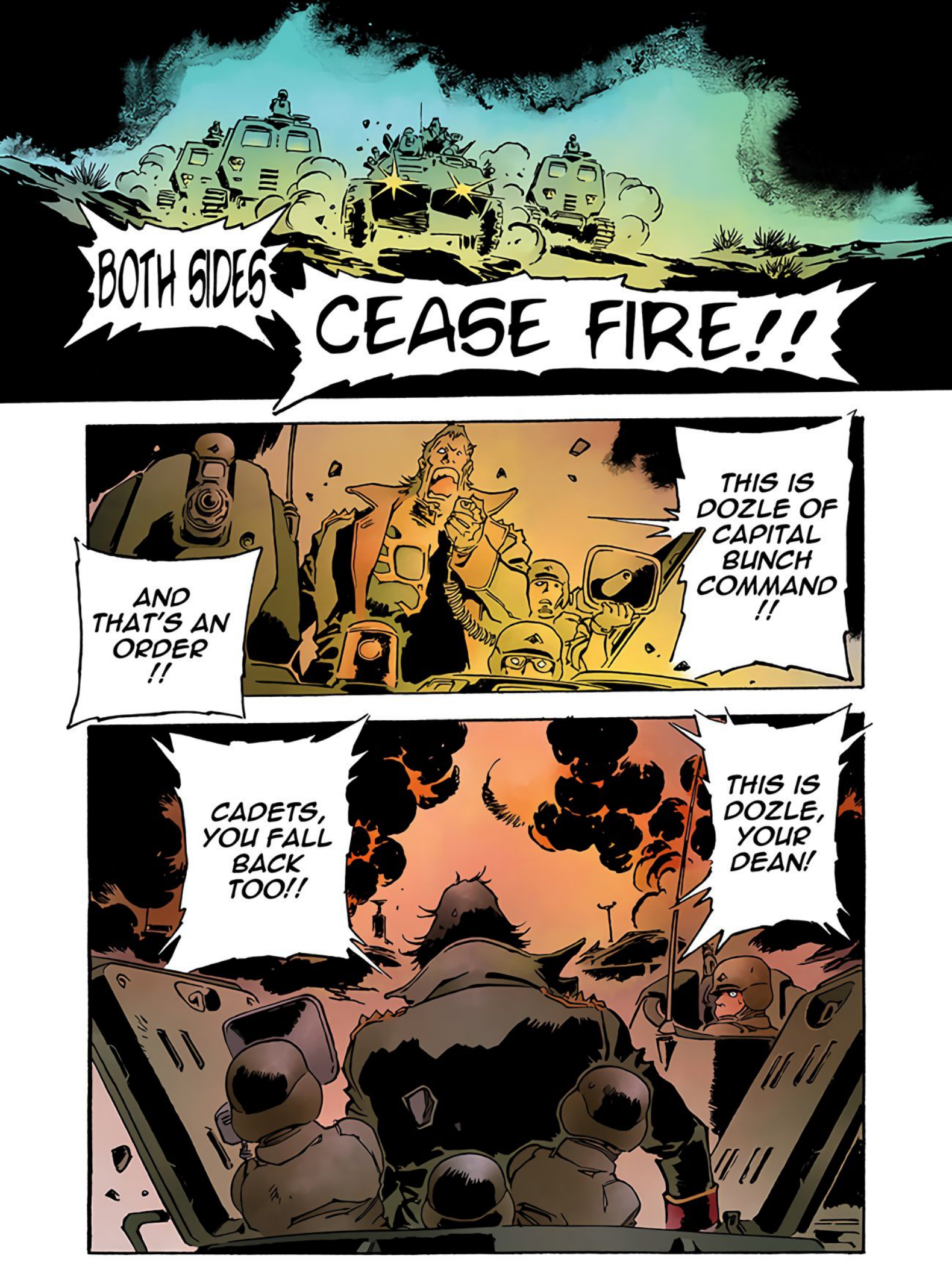
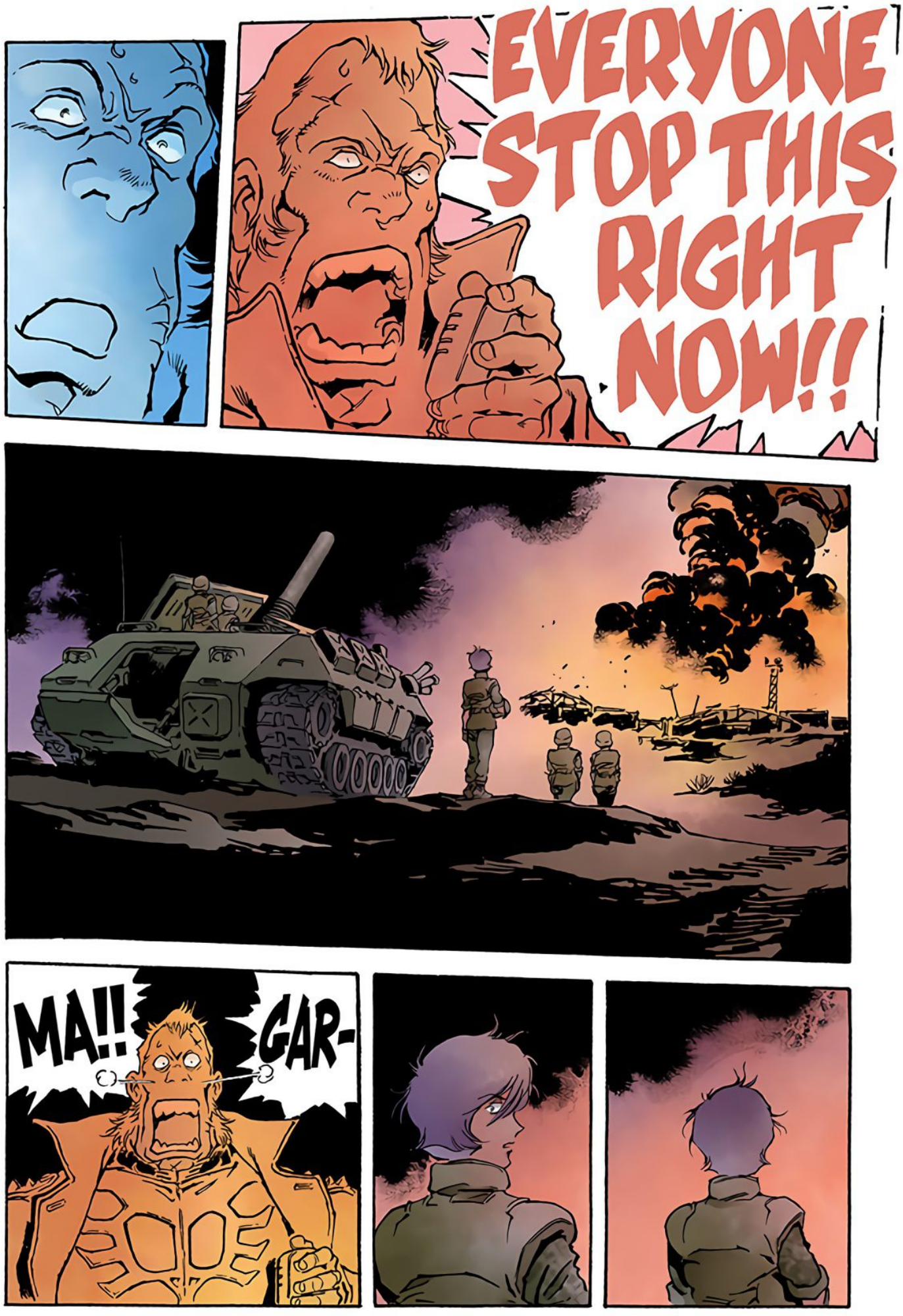
W
WHOA...
HOLY
SHIT!
!!
HEY, MURA-TA!
MURATA!
?
Uh?

THEY'RE INVADING FROM TWO DIREC-TIONS!
WE'RE STILL TAKING FIRE!
CENTRAL WARD BLOCK TAKING A BARRAGE OF HITS!
WE'RE OVER-WHELMED !!
WHAT THE HELL DO THEY THINK THEY'RE DOING?!
THOSE DAMN CADETS !!
DON'T MOVE !
STAY WHERE YOU ARE AND PUT YOUR HANDS OVER YOUR HEAD!
DO NOT RE-SIST !!
WHAT WAS THAT ?!!
THE
THE BACKUP GENER-ATOR!

THE REGI-MENTAL COM-MAND-ER, I PRESUME ?
FORGIVE MY RUDENESS, BUT I RECOMMEND THAT YOU SURRENDER.
PLEASE ORDER YOUR MEN TO STAND DOWN AS WELL!

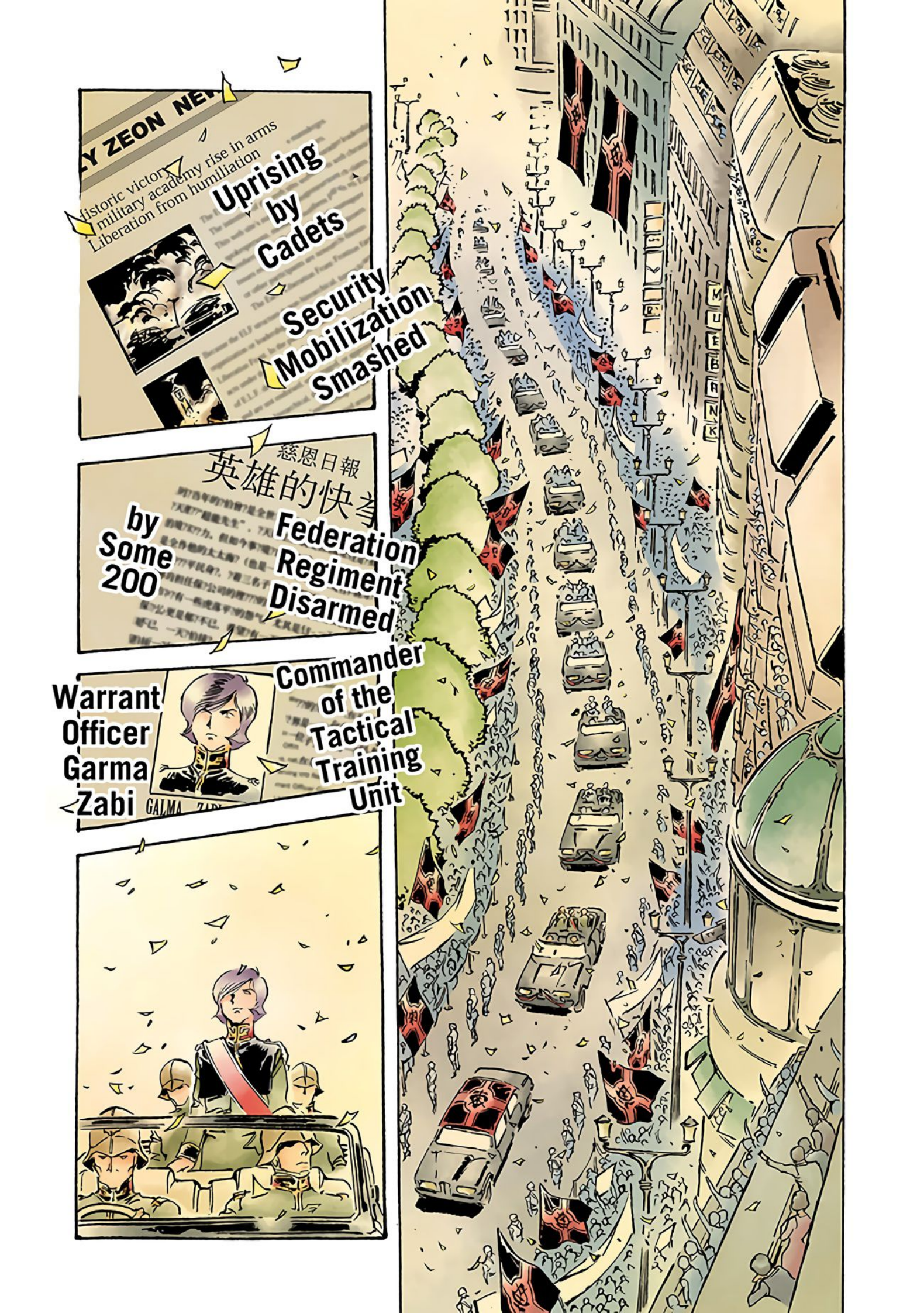
HGAAY


BOTH SIDES
CEASE FIRE!!
THIS IS DOZLE OF CAPITAL BUNCH COMMAND !!
AND THAT'S AN ORDER !!
CADETS, YOU FALL BACK TOO!!
THIS IS DOZLE, YOUR DEAN!

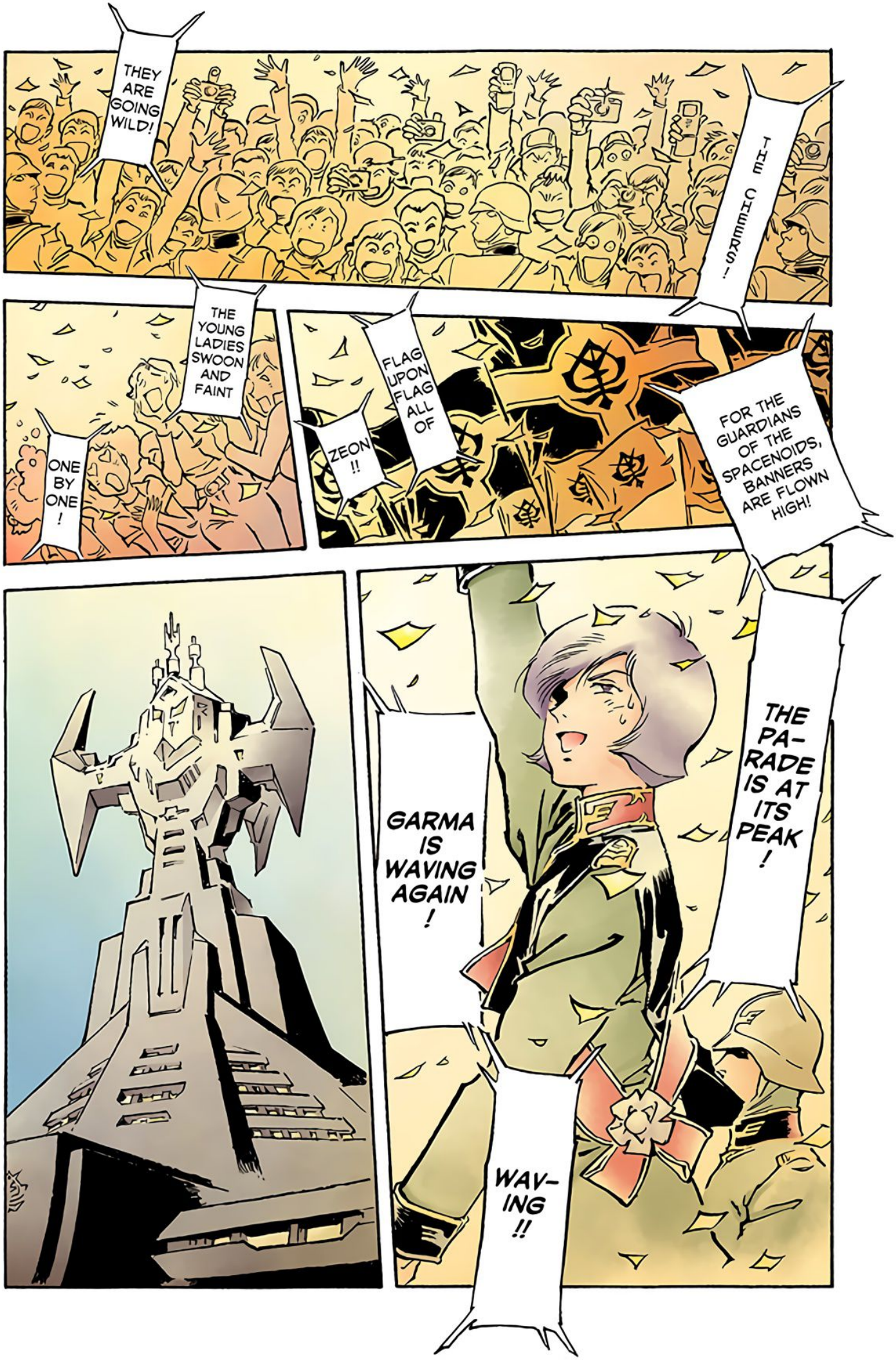

EVERYONE STOP THIS RIGHT NOW!!
MA!! GAR-

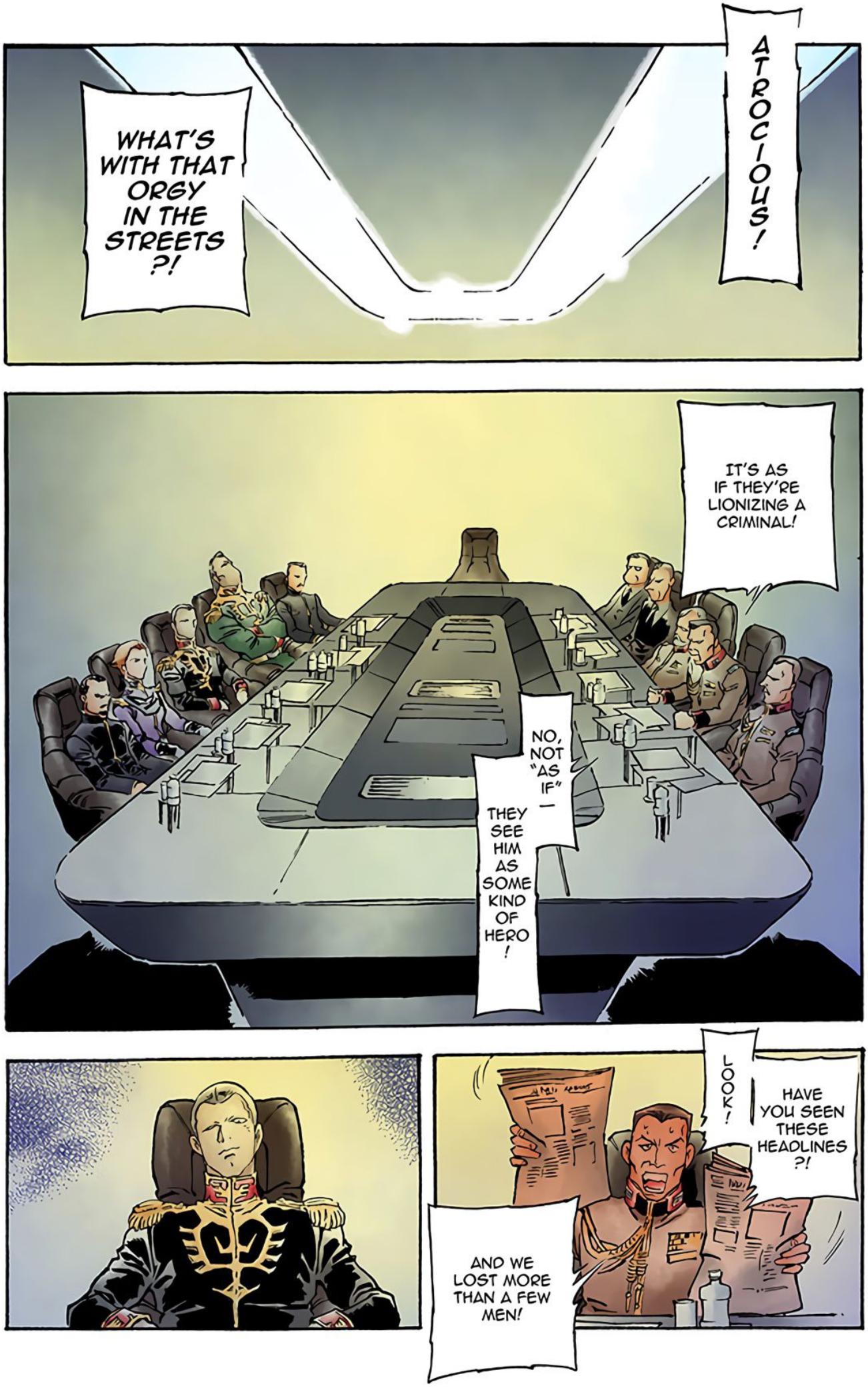
DARE
HOW ...
GARMA!
UU?!
YOU UUU
Ahh
BIG BRO DO-ZLE ...

GAR-MA... WHAT THE HELL
HAVE YOU DONE ...
!!しろが
GARMAA
AAAAAA!!
...

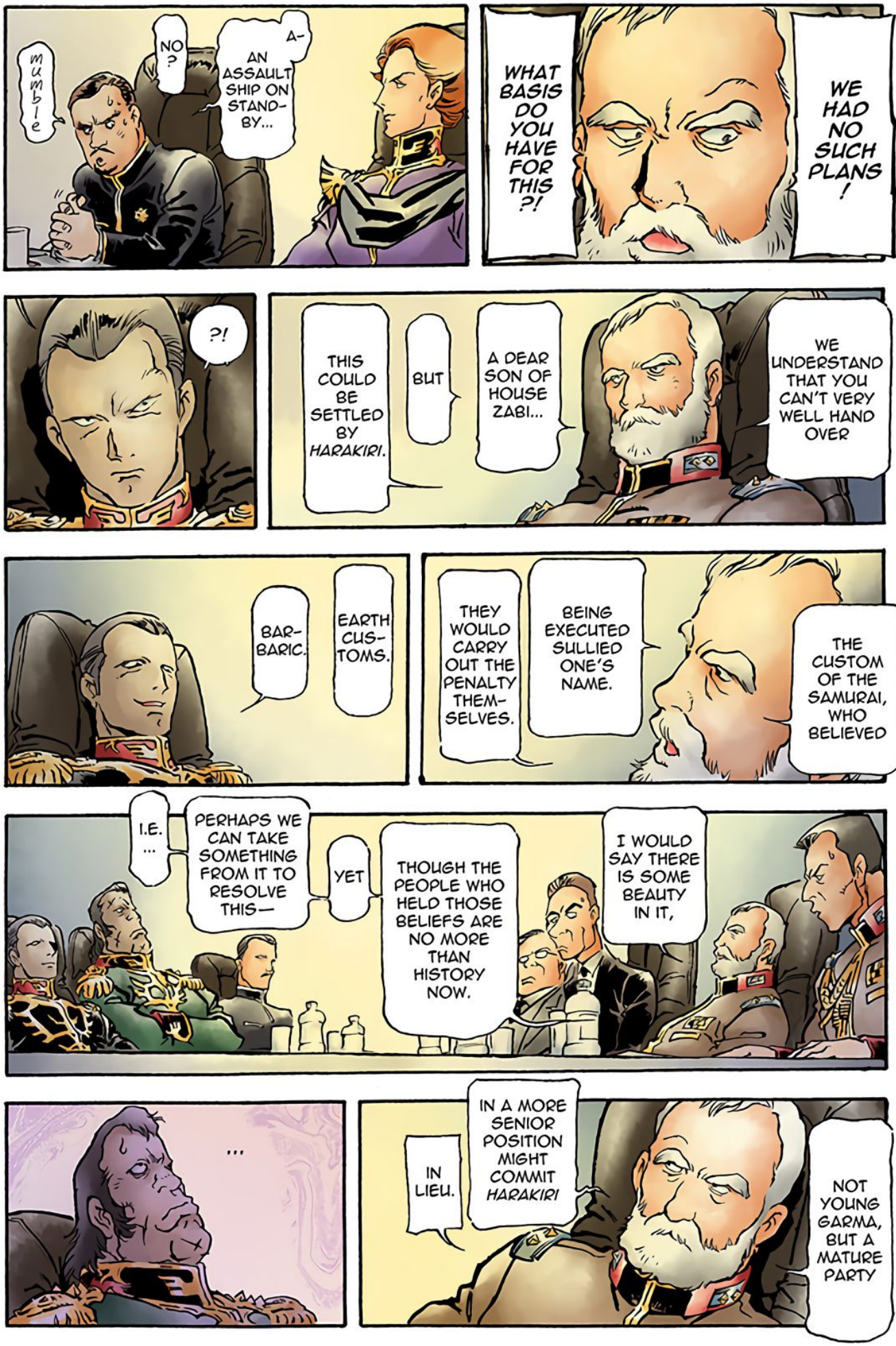

Y ZEON NE
Historic victory
military academy rise in arms
Liberation from humiliation
Uprising by Cadets
Security Mobilization Smashed
慈恩日報
英雄的快拳
by Some 200
Federation Regiment Disarmed
Warrant Officer Garma Zabi
GALMA ZABI
Commander of the Tactical Training Unit
MUEBANK

WARRANT OFFICER GARMA ZABI, LEADER OF THE "DAWN UPRISING,"
HIS FACE AS CLEAR AS THE SKY!
COMING UP BEHIND HIM ARE HIS COURAGEOUS COMRADES!
CLASSMATES ALL, THE BONDS BETWEEN THEM FORGED IN THE MILITARY ACADEMY!
SOME AMONG THEM BEAR WOUNDS OF HONOR FROM THE BATTLE.
OTHERS BEAR PORTRAITS OF CASUALTIES WHO MADE THE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE.
AH—
THERE, HE'S WAVING.
GARMA ZABI, THEIR LEADER,
WAVES IN REPLY TO THE CITIZENS WHO'VE COME OUT IN FORCE!
TV
PRESS


THEY ARE GOING WILD!
THE CHIEF'S-
THE YOUNG LADIES SWOON AND FAINT
ONE BY ONE !
FLAG UPON FLAG ALL OF
ZEON !!
FOR THE GUARDIANS OF THE SPACENOIDS, BANNERS ARE FLOWN HIGH!
THE PA-RADE IS AT ITS PEAK !
GARMA IS WAVING AGAIN !
WAV-ING !!


ATROCIOUS!
WHAT'S WITH THAT ORGY IN THE STREETS ?!
IT'S AS IF THEY'RE LIONIZING A CRIMINAL!
NO, NOT "AS IF" — THEY SEE HIM AS SOME KIND OF HERO !
LOOK !
HAVE YOU SEEN THESE HEADLINES ?!
AND WE LOST MORE THAN A FEW MEN!

YOU WANT US TO HAND OVER GARMA ZABI.
WE SHOULD BE ASKING YOU TO BRING FORWARD THE GUILTY PARTY!
THE FEDERATION DEMANDS
AN INQUEST INTO WHAT LED UP TO THIS EVENT! AND WHO IS RESPONSIBLE! AND THE ARRAIGNMENT OF SAID PARTY!
NO —
...IF NEED BE!
YOU MUST KNOW WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF WE DID HAND HIM OVER TO YOU.
THE MEN YOU LOST, YOU SAY ...
BUT DO YOU KNOW HOW MANY OF OUR PEOPLE PERISHED AT OUR FARMING FACILITY IN THAT METEOR IMPACT?!
THOSE PEOPLE DIED IN A TRAGIC ACCIDENT ...
GIHREN. THIS HARDLY COMPARES, YOUR EXCELLENCY
OUR MEN WERE KILLED IN A SAVAGE SNEAK ATTACK.
SURELY YOU CAN SEE THEY'RE NOT ON PAR.
BUT THE FEDERATION WAS ABOUT TO SEND IN AN ARMY TO QUELL MERE RIOTS !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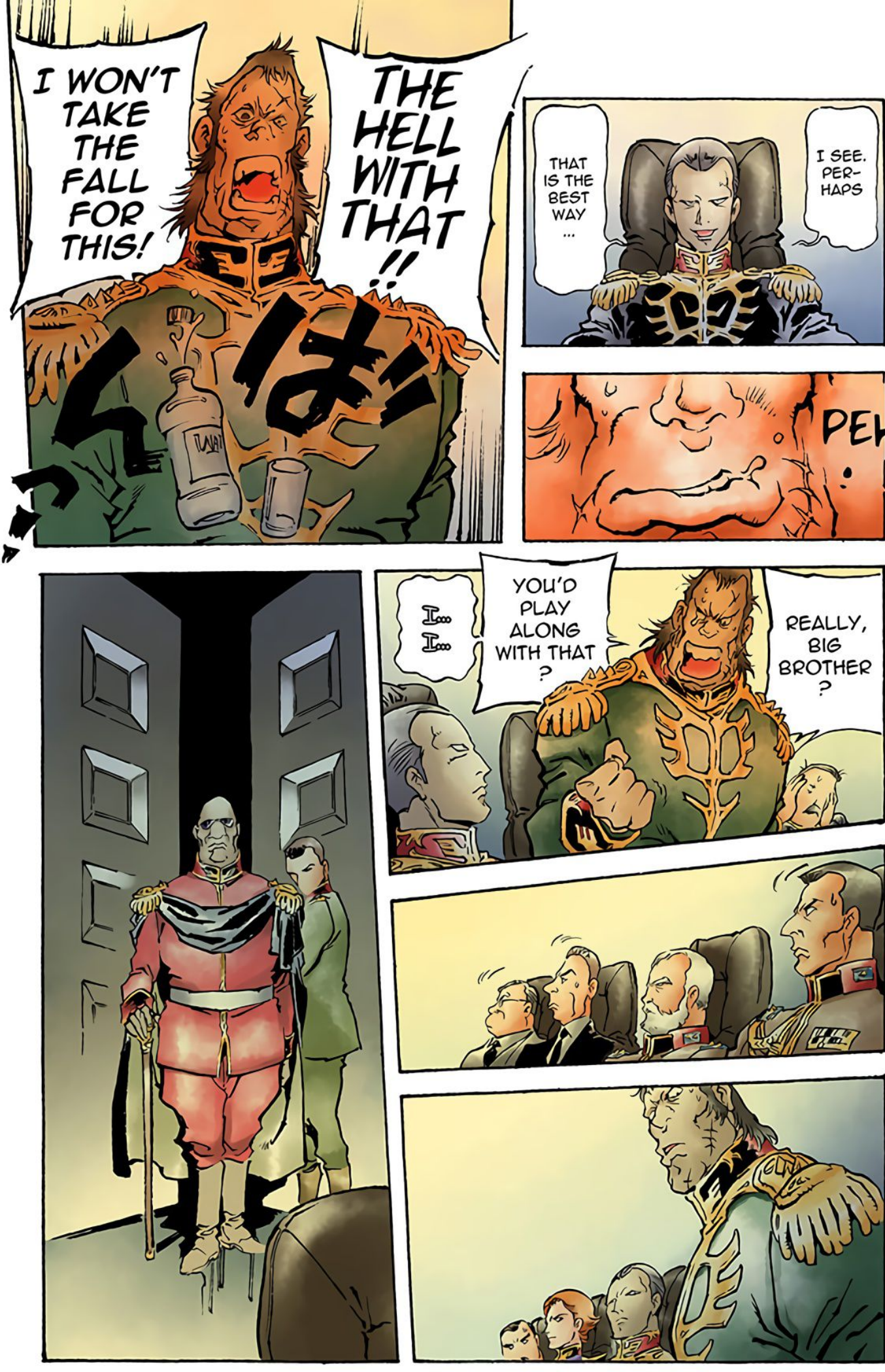
NO?
A-
AN ASSAULT SHIP ON STAND-BY...
WHAT BASIS DO YOU HAVE FOR THIS?!
WE HAD NO SUCH PLANS!
?!
THIS COULD BE SETTLED BY HARAKIRI.
BUT
A DEAR SON OF HOUSE ZABI...
WE UNDERSTAND THAT YOU CAN'T VERY WELL HAND OVER
BAR-BARIC.
EARTH CUS-TOMS.
THEY WOULD CARRY OUT THE PENALTY THEM-SELVES.
BEING EXECUTED SULLIED ONE'S NAME.
THE CUSTOM OF THE SAMURAI, WHO BELIEVED
I.E. ...
PERHAPS WE CAN TAKE SOMETHING FROM IT TO RESOLVE THIS—
YET
THOUGH THE PEOPLE WHO HELD THOSE BELIEFS ARE NO MORE THAN HISTORY NOW.
I WOULD SAY THERE IS SOME BEAUTY IN IT,
...
IN LIEU.
IN A MORE SENIOR POSITION MIGHT COMMIT HARAKIRI
NOT YOUNG GARMA, BUT A MATURE PARTY


I WON'T TAKE THE FALL FOR THIS!
THE HELL WITH THAT!!
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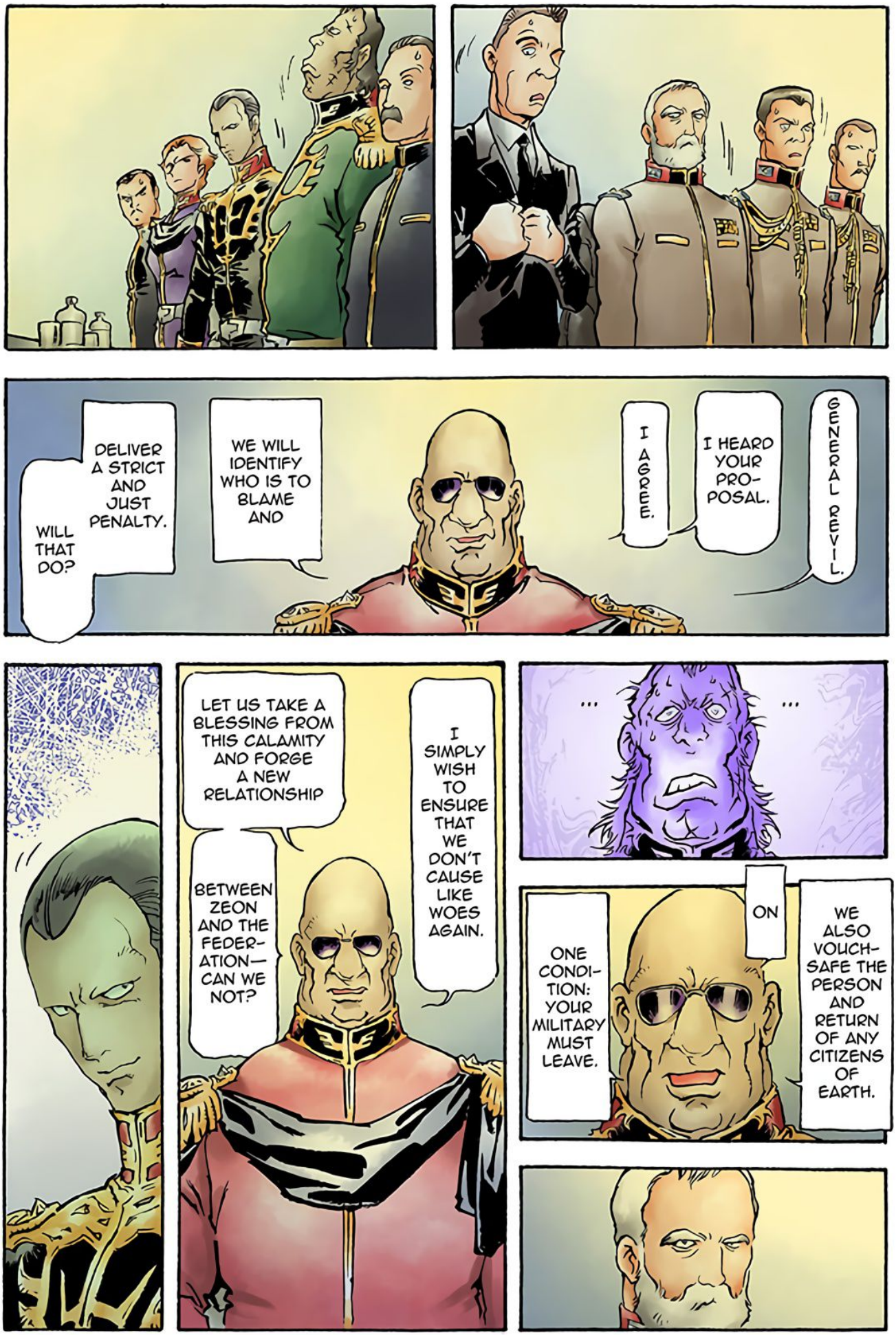
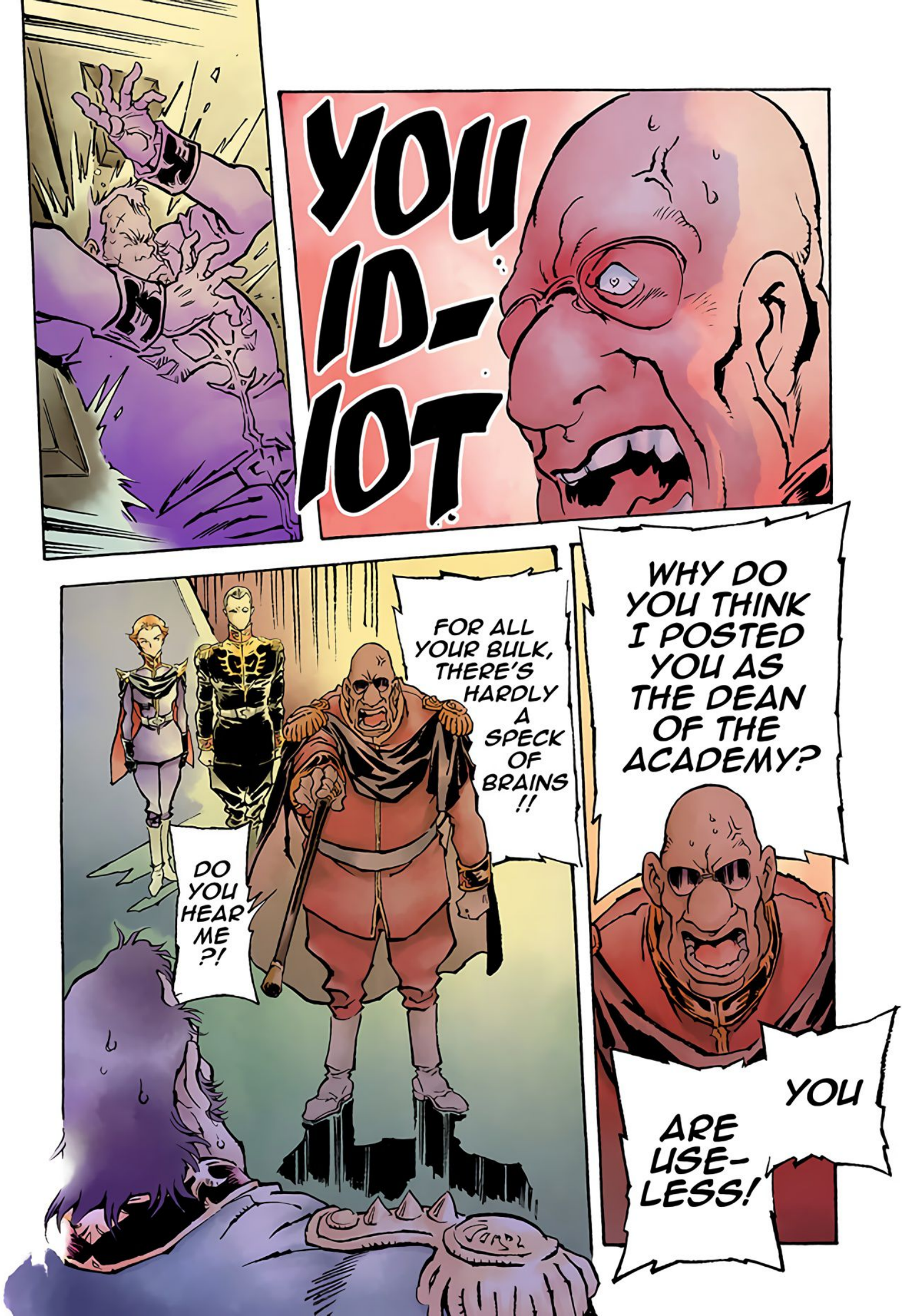
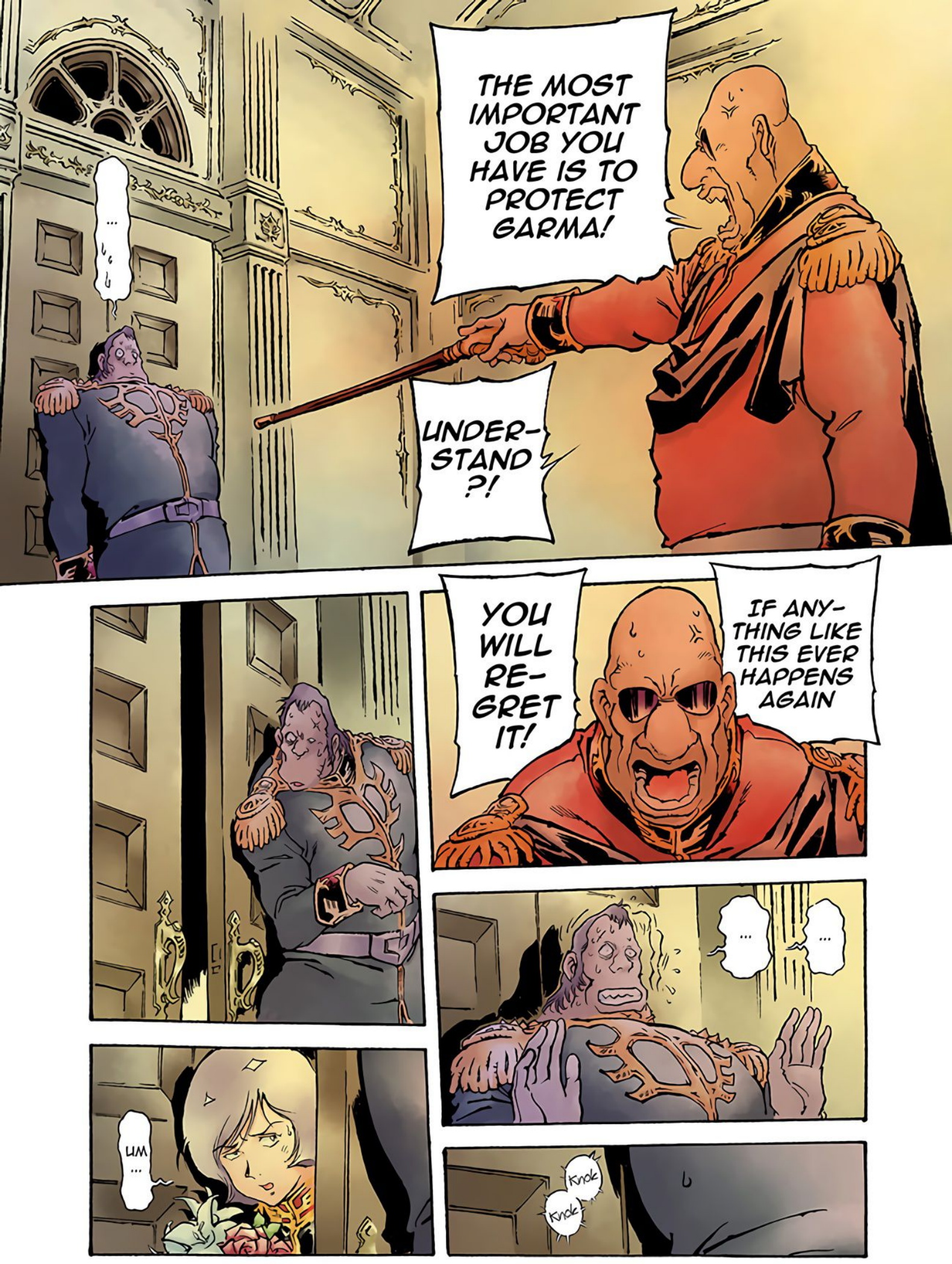
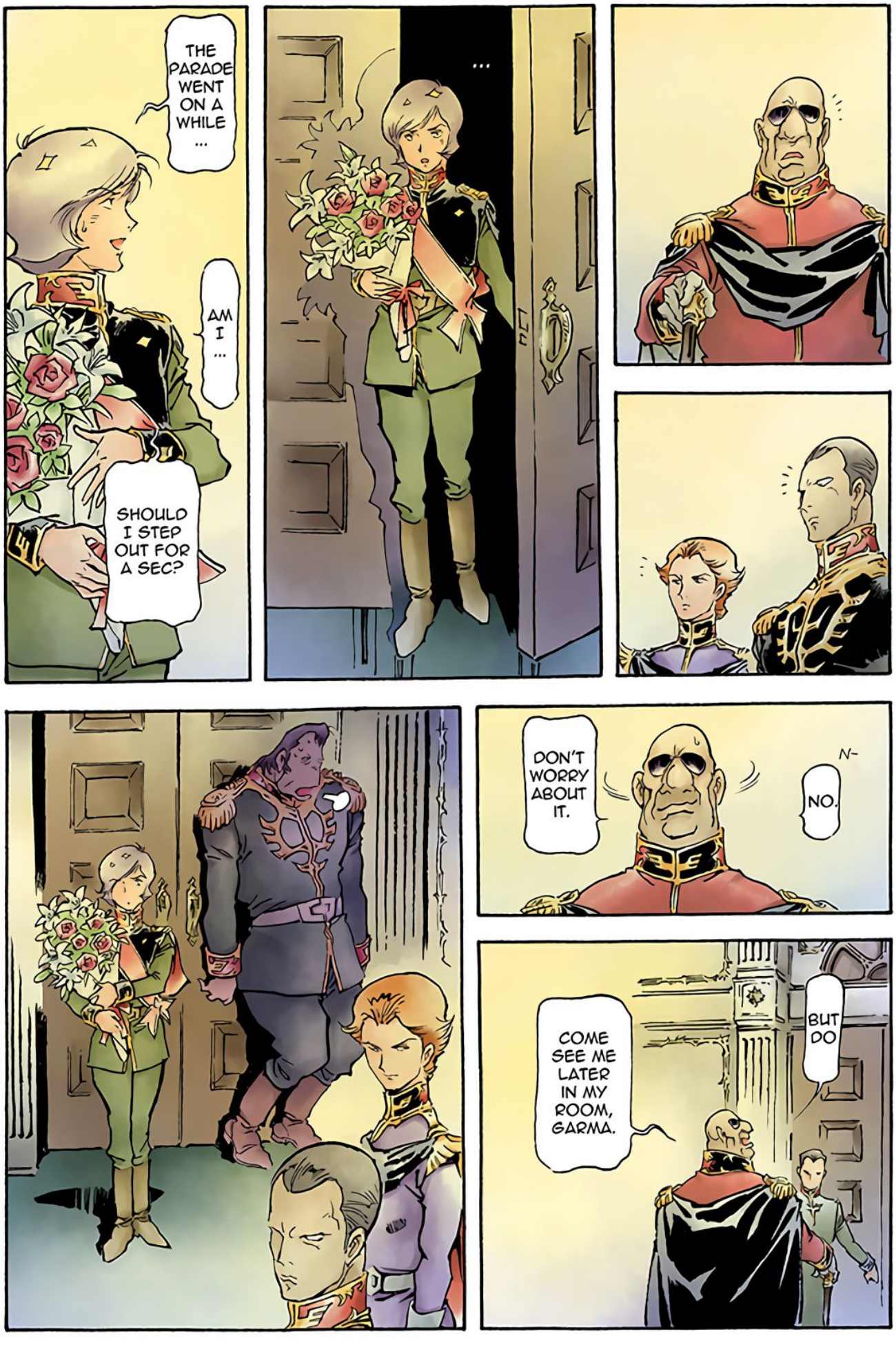
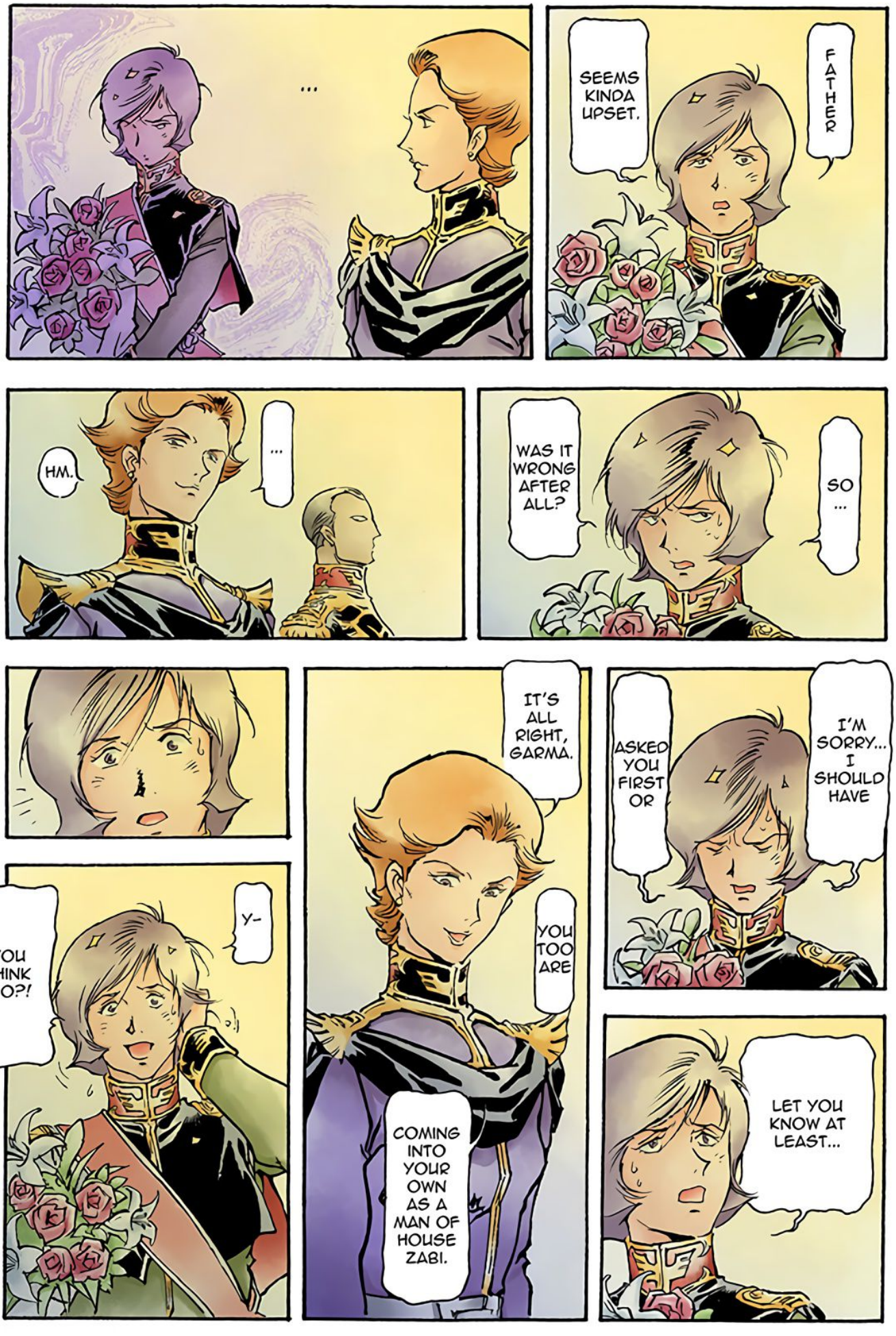
THAT IS THE BEST WAY ...
I SEE. PER-HAPS
PEH
I... I...
YOU'D PLAY ALONG WITH THAT?
REALLY, BIG BROTHER?

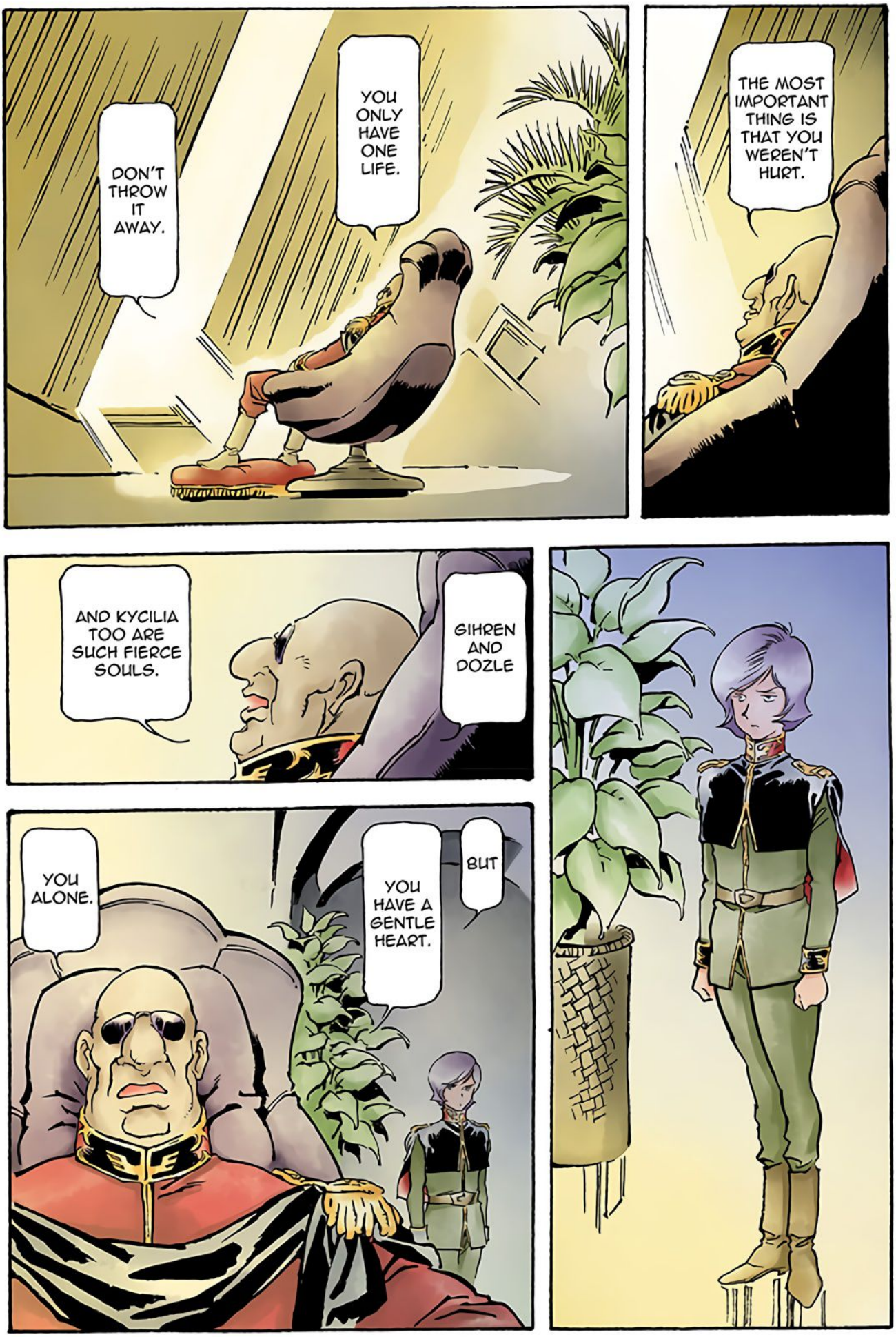

GENERAL REVIL.
I HEARD YOUR PRO-POSAL.
I AGREE.
WE WILL IDENTIFY WHO IS TO BLAME AND
DELIVER A STRICT AND JUST PENALTY.
WILL THAT DO?
...
...
ON
WE ALSO VOUCH-SAFE THE PERSON AND RETURN OF ANY CITIZENS OF EARTH.
ONE CONDI-TION: YOUR MILITARY MUST LEAVE.
I SIMPLY WISH TO ENSURE THAT WE DON'T CAUSE LIKE WOES AGAIN.
LET US TAKE A BLESSING FROM THIS CALAMITY AND FORGE A NEW RELATIONSHIP
BETWEEN ZEON AND THE FEDER-ATION— CAN WE NOT?

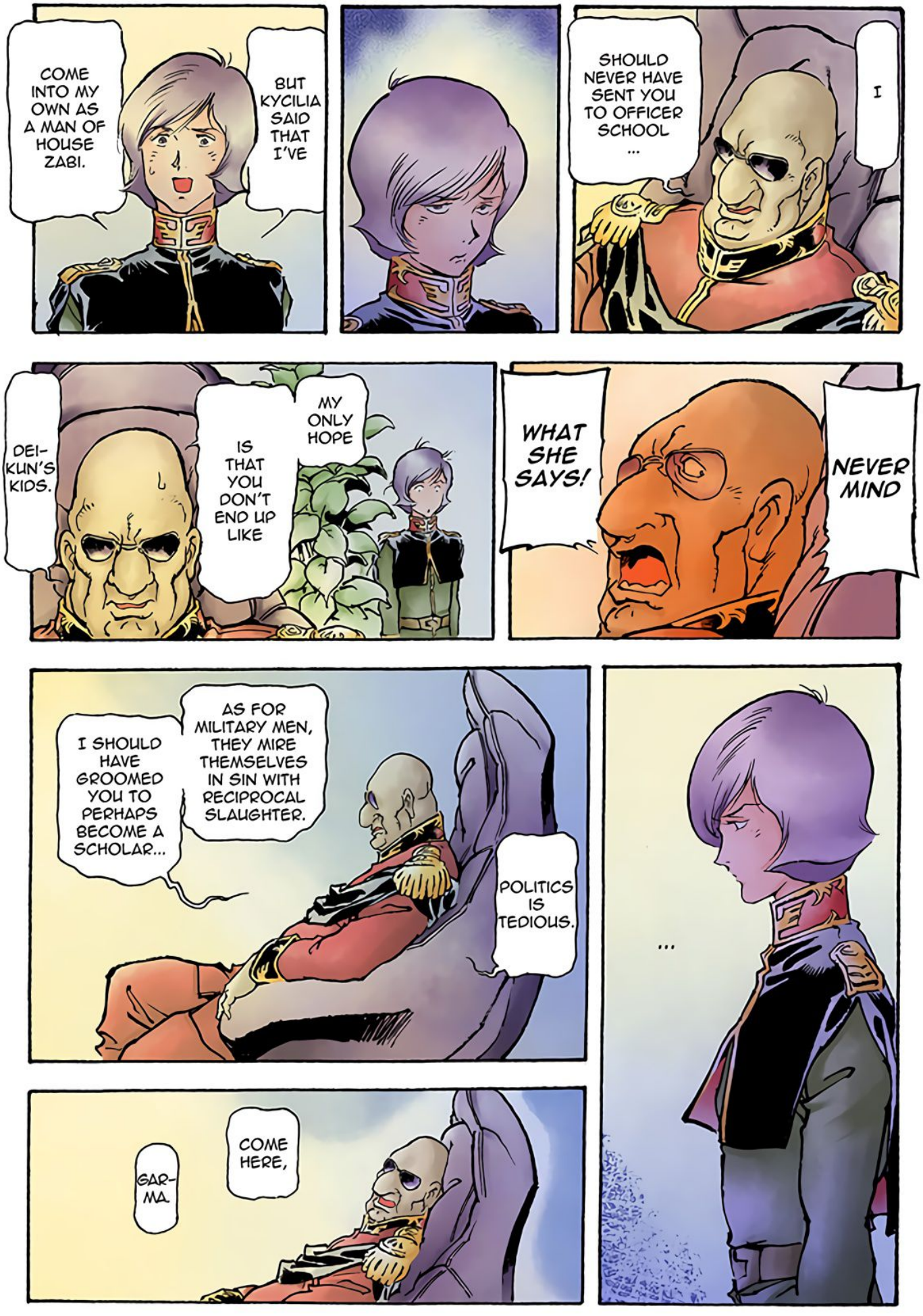

YOU ID-IOT
WHY DO YOU THINK I POSTED YOU AS THE DEAN OF THE ACADEMY?
YOU ARE USE-LESS!
FOR ALL YOUR BULK, THERE'S HARDLY A SPECK OF BRAINS !!
DO YOU HEAR ME ?!

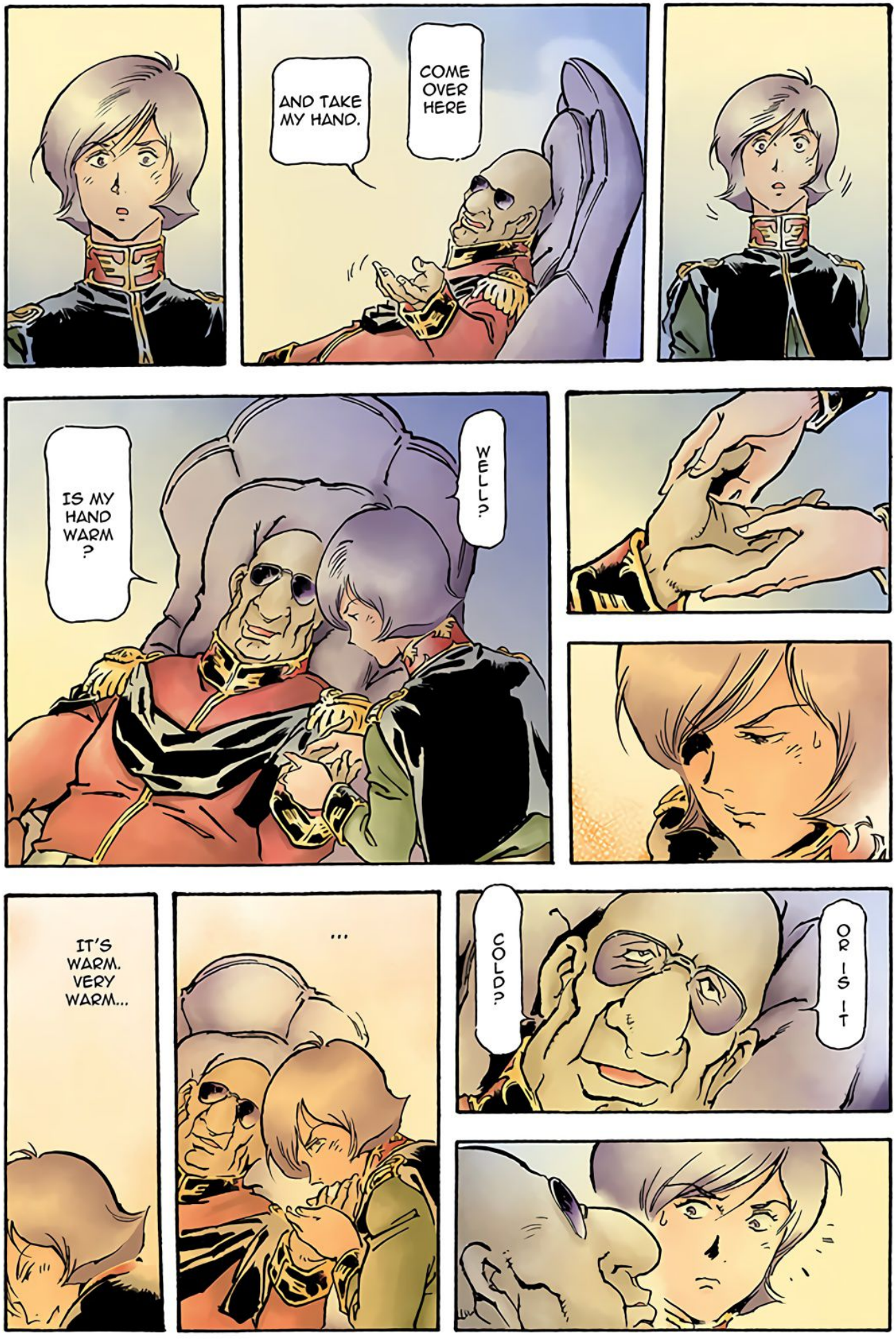

...
THE MOST IMPORTANT JOB YOU HAVE IS TO PROTECT GARMA!
UNDER-STAND ?!
YOU WILL RE-GRET IT!
IF ANY-THING LIKE THIS EVER HAPPENS AGAIN
...
...
UM ...
Knock
Knock

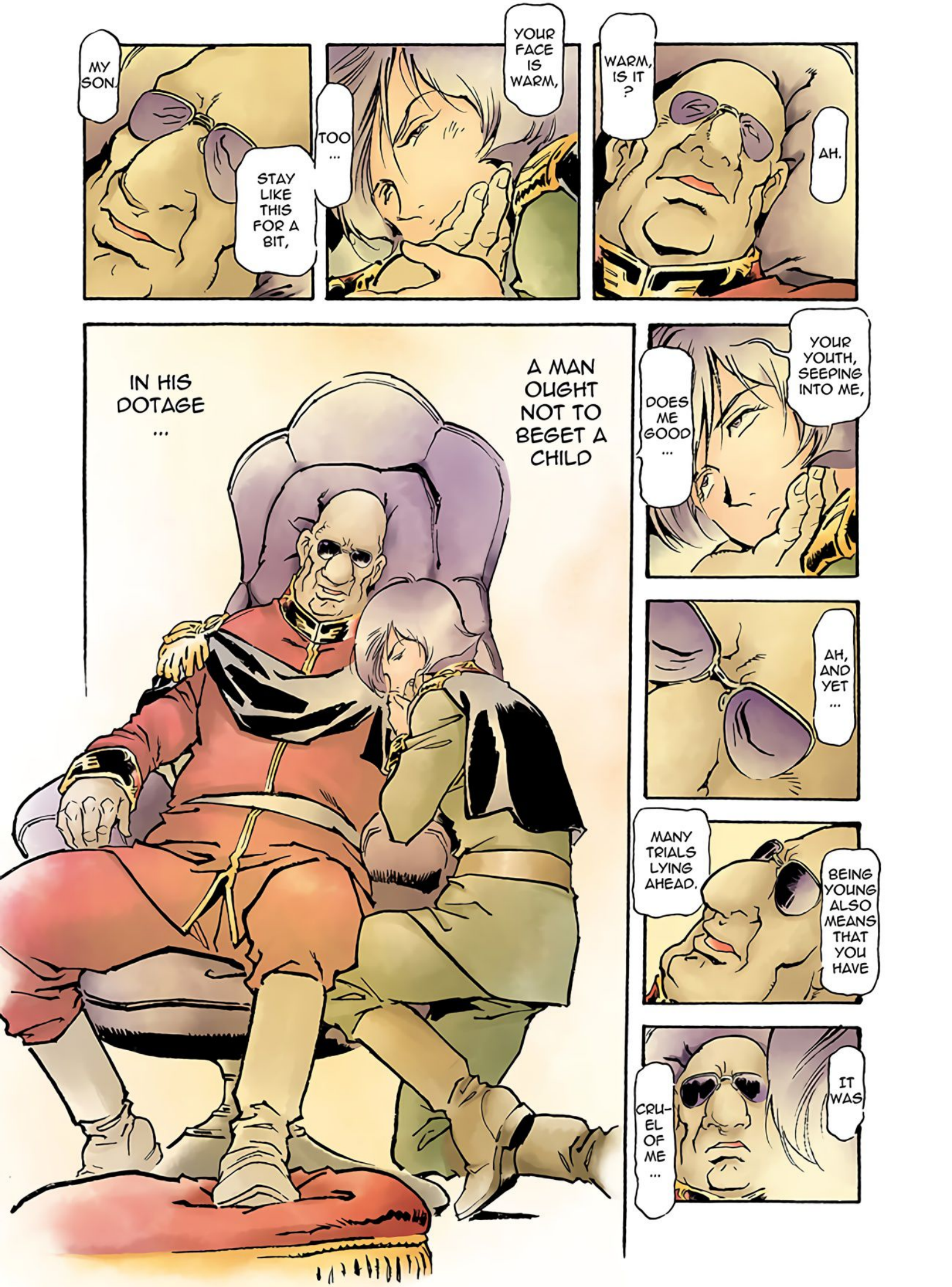

THE PARADE WENT ON A WHILE ...
AM I ...
SHOULD I STEP OUT FOR A SEC?
...
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.
N-
NO.
COME SEE ME LATER IN MY ROOM, GARMA.
BUT DO

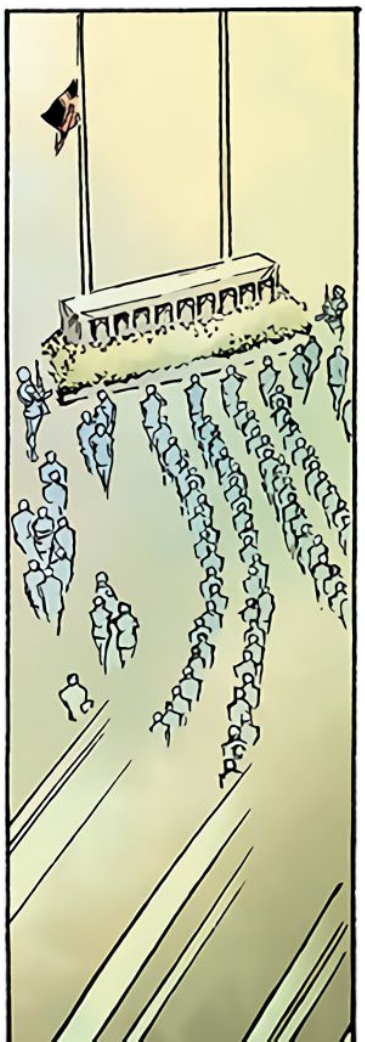

...
FATHER
SEEMS KINDA UPSET.
...
HM.
SO ...
WAS IT WRONG AFTER ALL?
I'M SORRY... I SHOULD HAVE
ASKED YOU FIRST OR
IT'S ALL RIGHT, GARMA.
YOU TOO ARE
COMING INTO YOUR OWN AS A MAN OF HOUSE ZABI.
Y-
YOU THINK SO?!
LET YOU KNOW AT LEAST...


DON'T THROW IT AWAY.
YOU ONLY HAVE ONE LIFE.
THE MOST IMPORTANT THING IS THAT YOU WEREN'T HURT.
AND KYCILIA TOO ARE SUCH FIERCE SOULS.
GIHREN AND DOZLE
YOU ALONE.
YOU HAVE A GENTLE HEART.
BUT

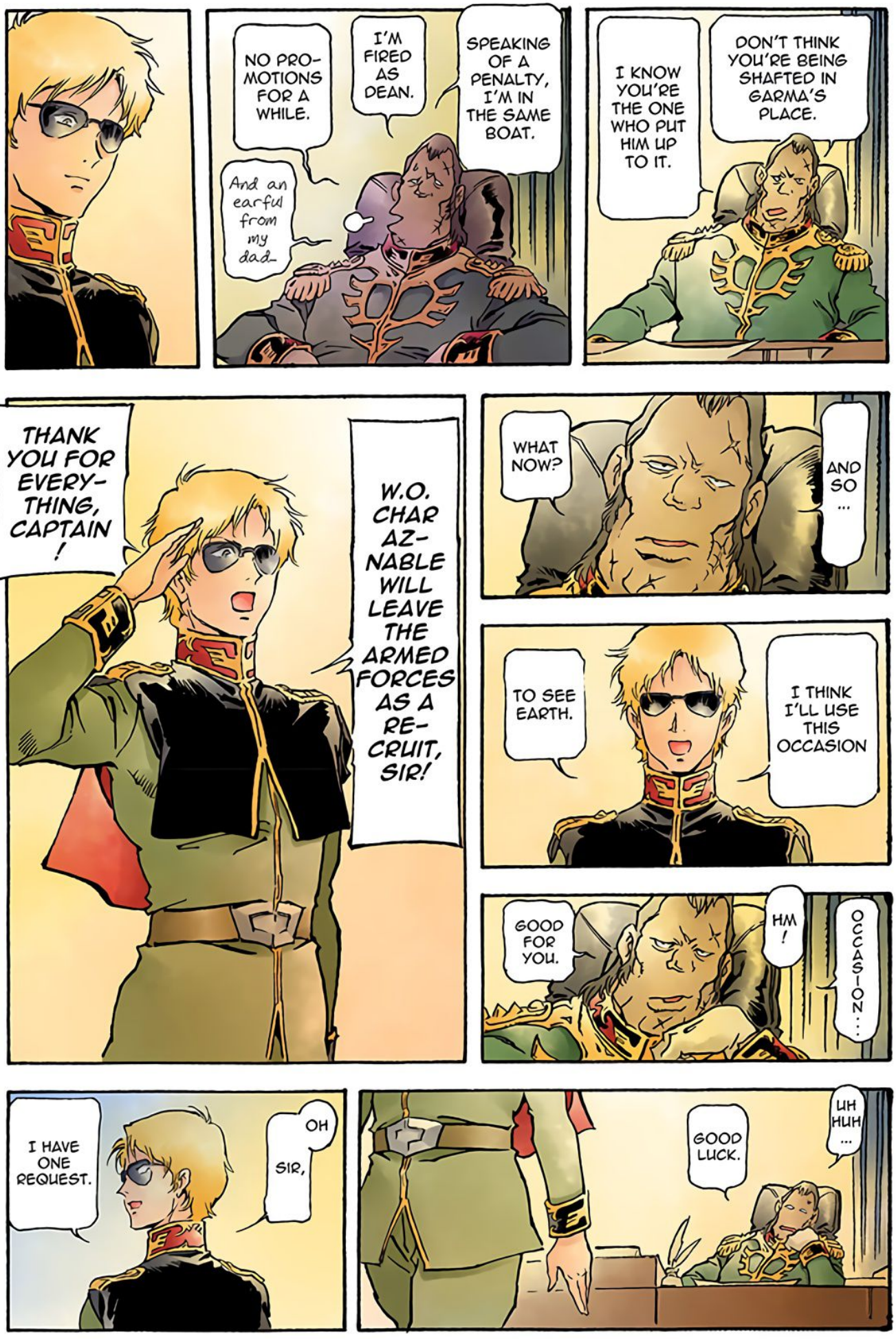

COME INTO MY OWN AS A MAN OF HOUSE ZABI.
BUT KYCILIA SAID THAT I'VE
I
SHOULD NEVER HAVE SENT YOU TO OFFICER SCHOOL ...
DEI-KUN'S KIDS.
IS THAT YOU DON'T END UP LIKE
MY ONLY HOPE
WHAT SHE SAYS!
NEVER MIND
I SHOULD HAVE GROOMED YOU TO PERHAPS BECOME A SCHOLAR...
AS FOR MILITARY MEN, THEY MIRE THEMSELVES IN SIN WITH RECIPROCAL SLAUGHTER.
POLITICS IS TEDIOUS.
...
GAR-MA
COME HERE,

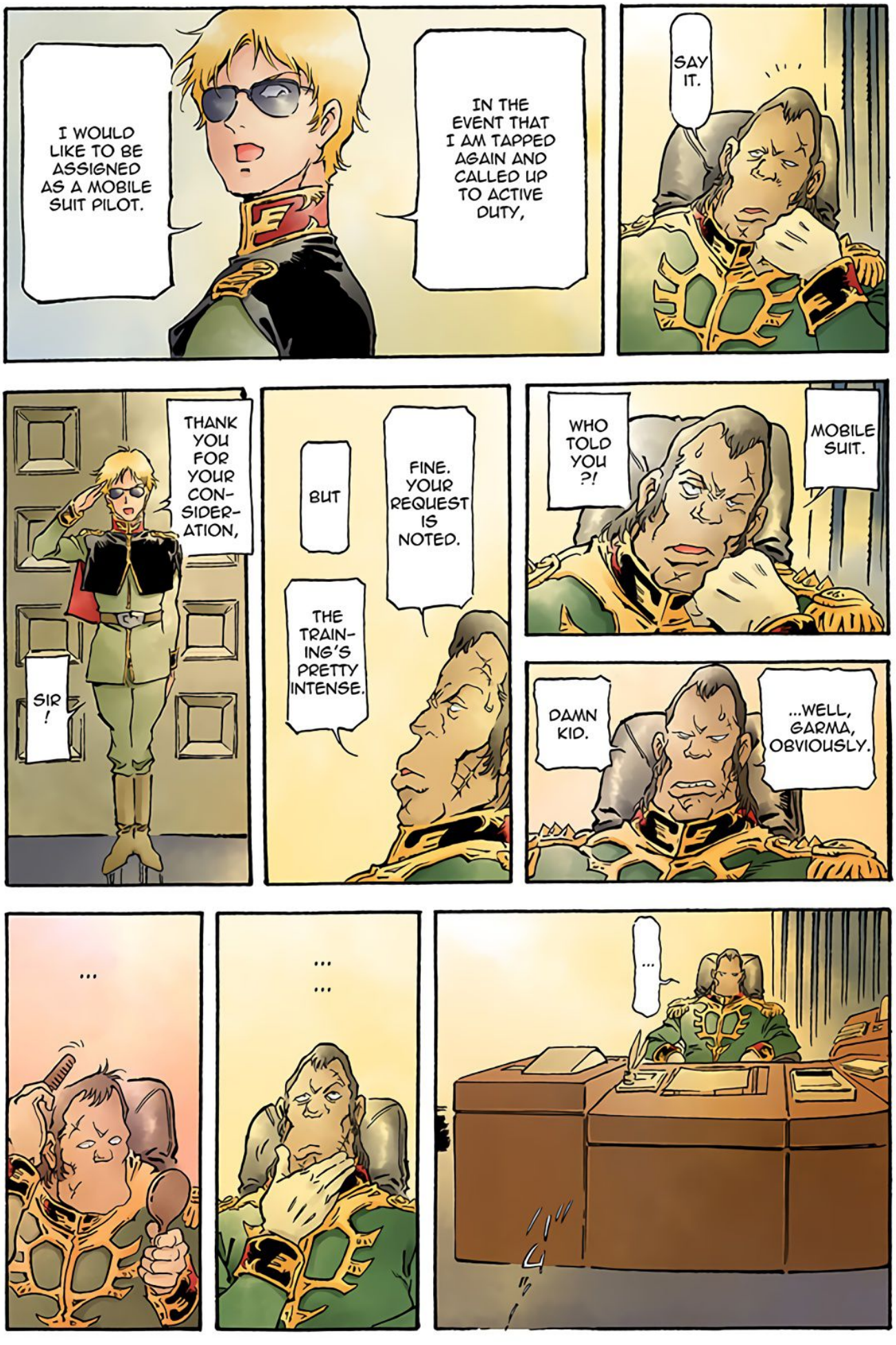

COME OVER HERE
AND TAKE MY HAND.
WELL?
IS MY HAND WARM?
OR IS IT COLD?
...
IT'S WARM. VERY WARM...

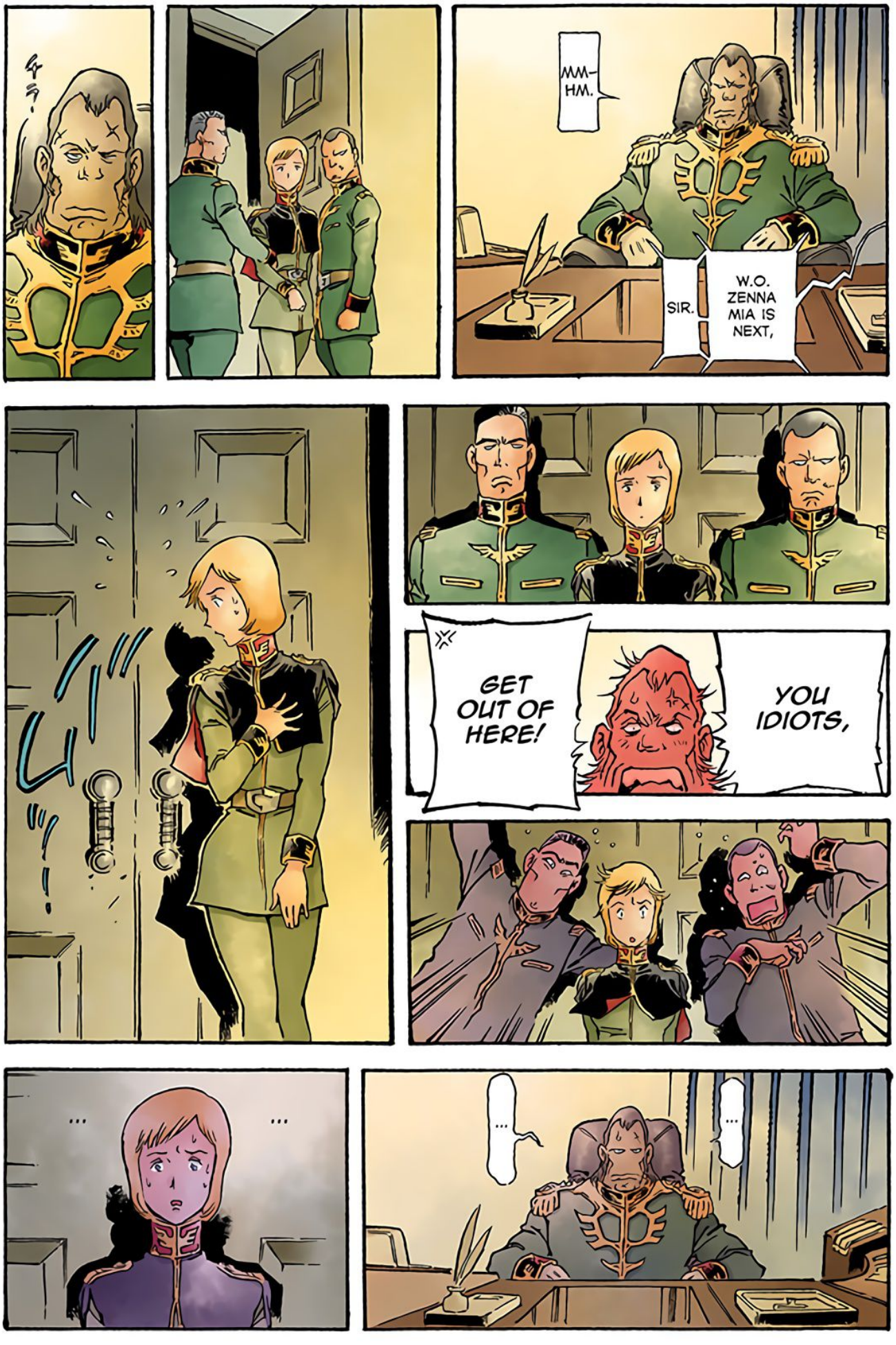

MY SON.
STAY LIKE THIS FOR A BIT,
TOO ...
YOUR FACE IS WARM,
WARM, IS IT ?
AH.
IN HIS DOTAGE ...
A MAN OUGHT NOT TO BEGET A CHILD
DOES ME GOOD ...
YOUR YOUTH, SEEPING INTO ME,
AH, AND YET ...
MANY TRIALS LYING AHEAD.
BEING YOUNG ALSO MEANS THAT YOU HAVE
CRU-EL OF ME ...
IT WAS

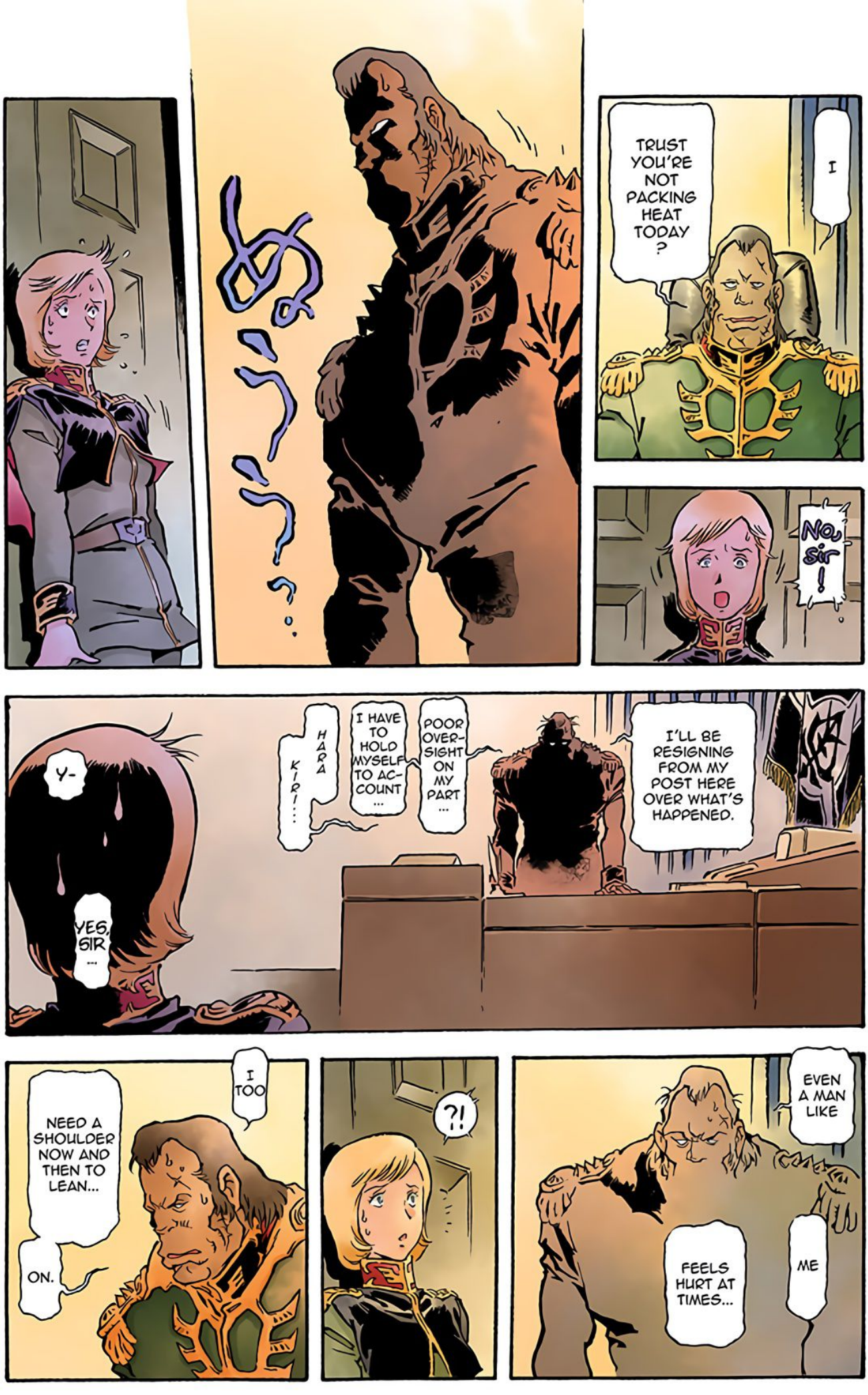


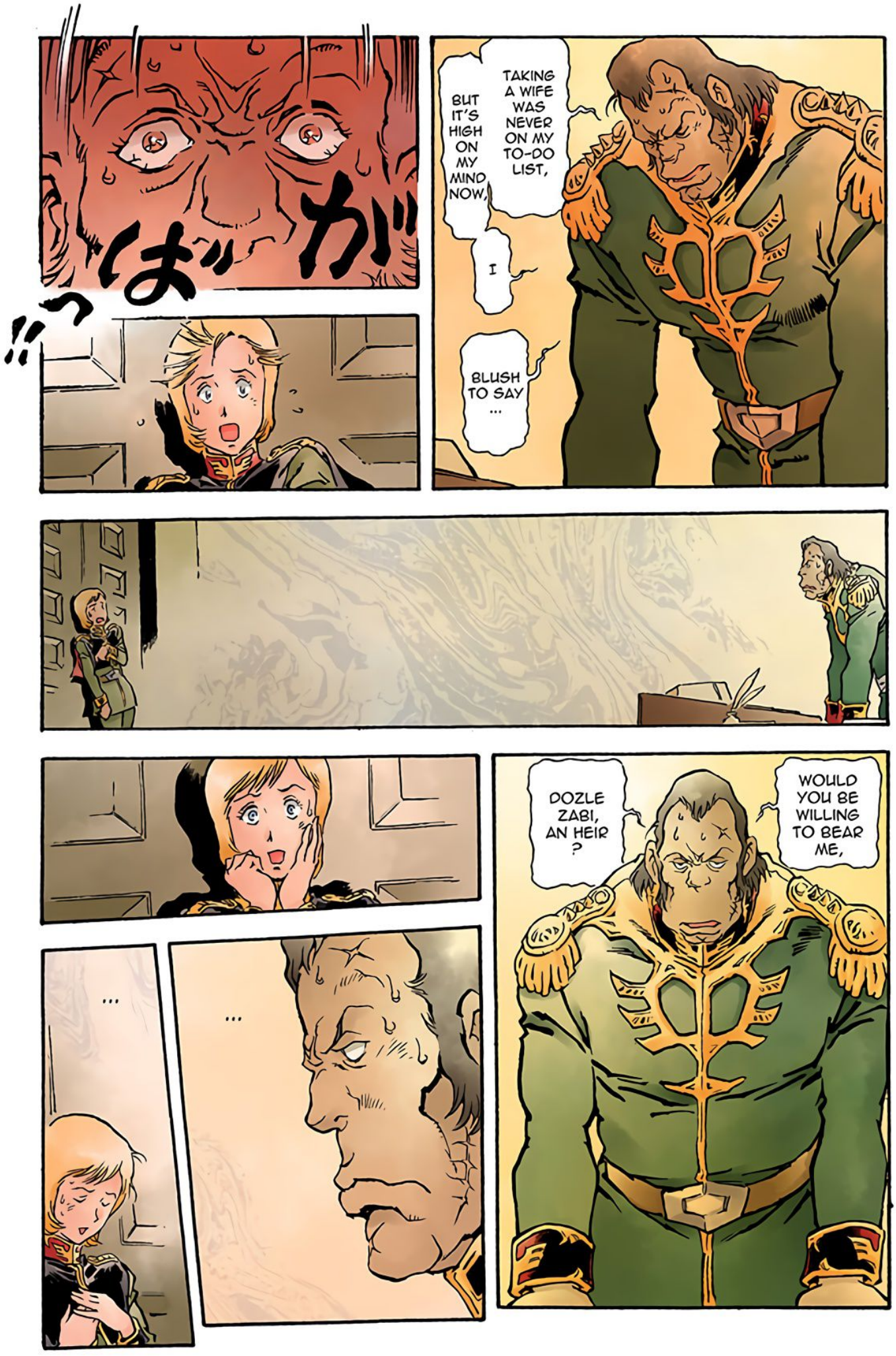
W.O. CHAR, SIR!
...
...
YOU'LL AWAIT ORDERS— IN THE RESERVES.
HERE'S YOUR PENAL-TY—
NOTH-ING, SIR.
WE~LL SAID. GOOD!
IN SHORT, YOU'VE BEEN DEMOTED TO A PLAIN RECRUIT.
YOUR RECORD AT THIS SCHOOL WILL BE VOIDED.
ANY-THING TO SAY ?
SO,

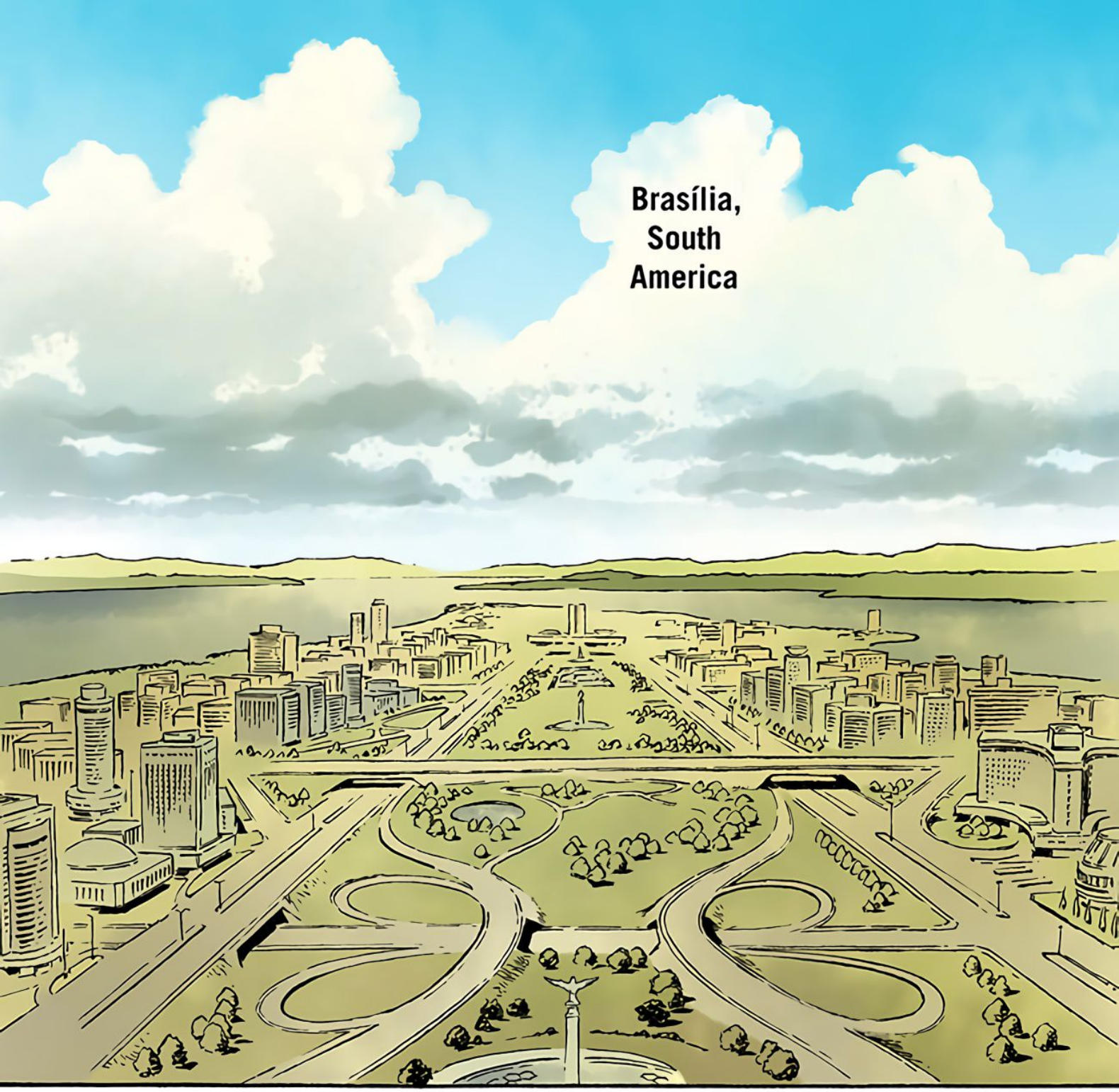

SPEAKING OF A PENALTY, I'M IN THE SAME BOAT.
I'M FIRED AS DEAN.
NO PROMOTIONS FOR A WHILE.
And an earful from my dad-
DON'T THINK YOU'RE BEING SHAFTED IN GARMA'S PLACE.
I KNOW YOU'RE THE ONE WHO PUT HIM UP TO IT.
AND SO ...
WHAT NOW?
I THINK I'LL USE THIS OCCASION
TO SEE EARTH.
OCCASION...
HM!
GOOD FOR YOU.
THANK YOU FOR EVERY-THING, CAPTAIN!
W.O. CHAR AZ-NABLE WILL LEAVE THE ARMED FORCES AS A RE-CRUIT, SIR!
OH SIR,
I HAVE ONE REQUEST.
UH HUH ...
GOOD LUCK.


I WOULD LIKE TO BE ASSIGNED AS A MOBILE SUIT PILOT.
IN THE EVENT THAT I AM TAPPED AGAIN AND CALLED UP TO ACTIVE DUTY,
SAY IT.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR CON-SIDER-ATION,
SIR !
BUT
FINE. YOUR REQUEST IS NOTED.
THE TRAIN-ING'S PRETTY INTENSE.
WHO TOLD YOU ?!
MOBILE SUIT.
DAMN KID.
...WELL, GARMA, OBVIOUSLY.
...
...
...
...


MM-HM.
SIR.
W.O. ZENNA MIA IS NEXT,
GET OUT OF HERE!
YOU IDIOTS,


I
TRUST YOU'RE NOT PACKING HEAT TODAY ?
No sir !
I'LL BE RESIGNING FROM MY POST HERE OVER WHAT'S HAPPENED.
POOR OVER-SIGHT ON MY PART ...
I HAVE TO HOLD MYSELF TO AC-COUNT ...
HARA KIR!...
Y-
YES, SIR ...
EVEN A MAN LIKE
ME
FEELS HURT AT TIMES...
?!
I TOO
NEED A SHOULDER NOW AND THEN TO LEAN...
ON.


TAKING A WIFE WAS NEVER ON MY TO-DO LIST,
BUT IT'S HIGH ON MY MIND NOW,
I
BLUSH TO SAY ...
DOZLE ZABI, AN HEIR ?
WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO BEAR ME,
...
...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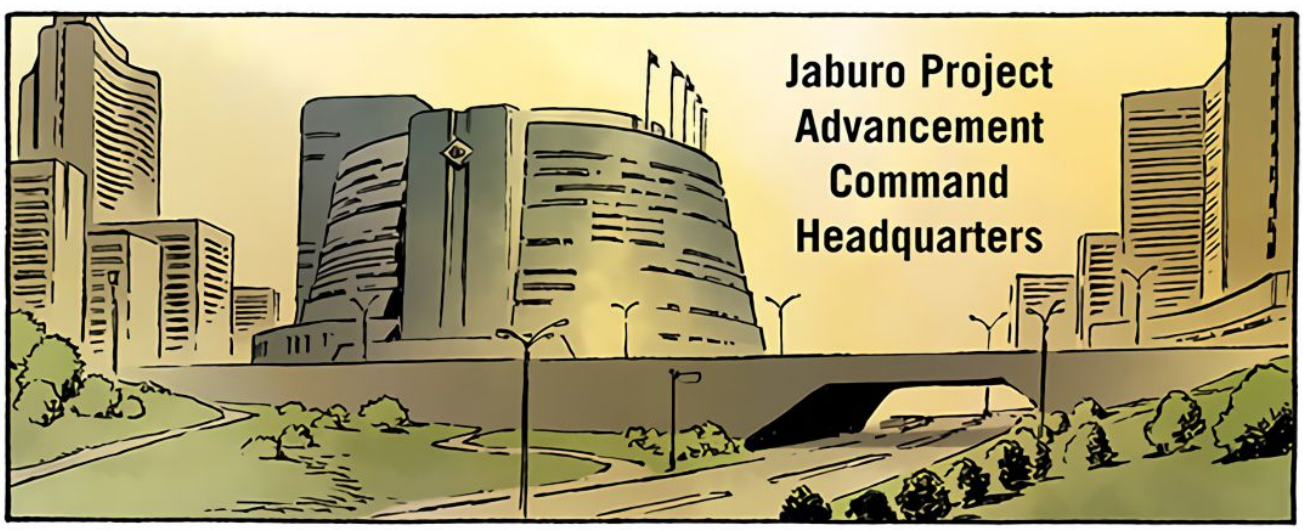
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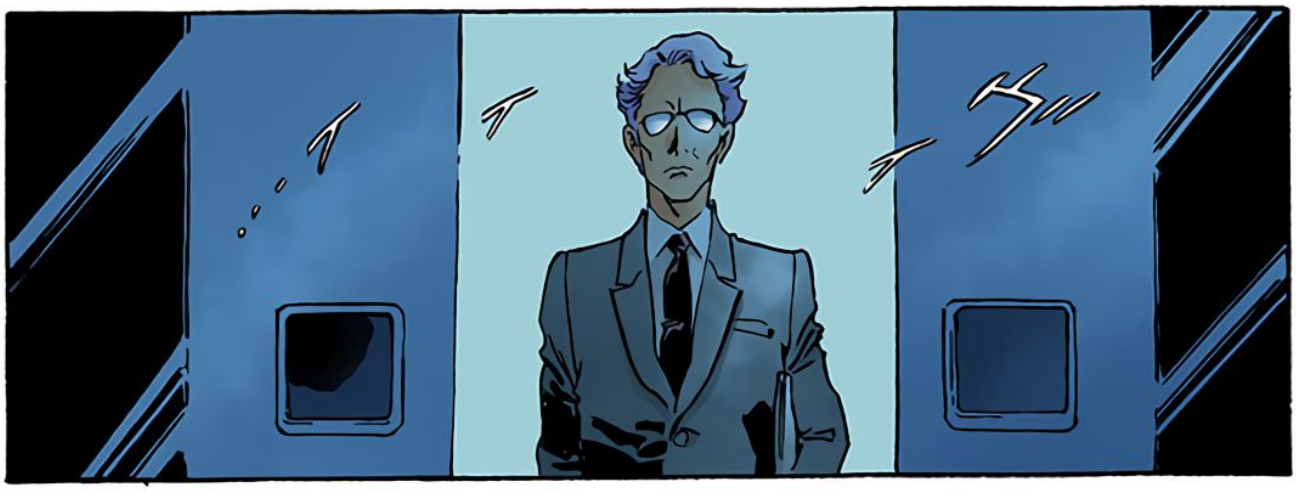
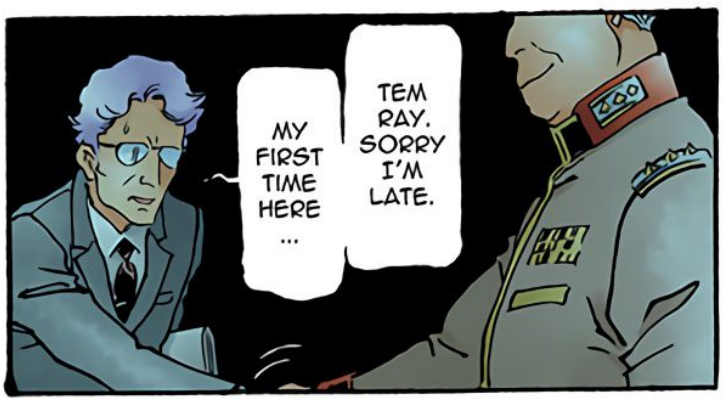
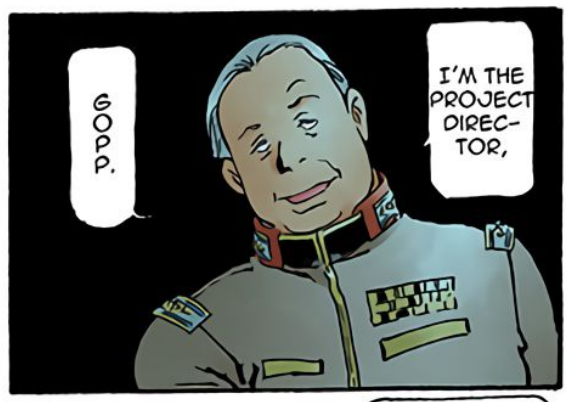
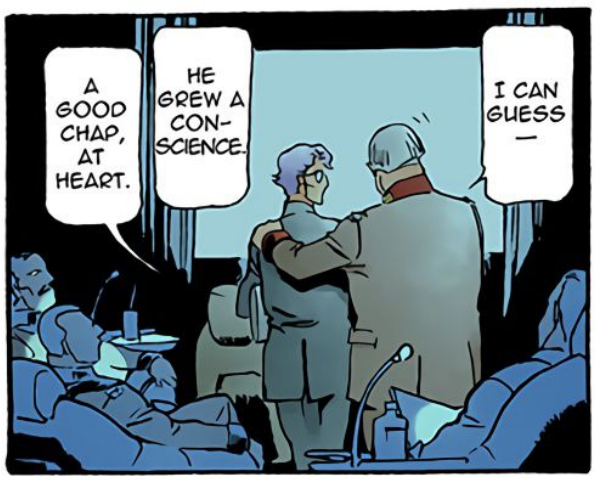


SO,
WE'RE ALL HERE.


TEM RAY. SORRY I'M LATE.
MY FIRST TIME HERE ...

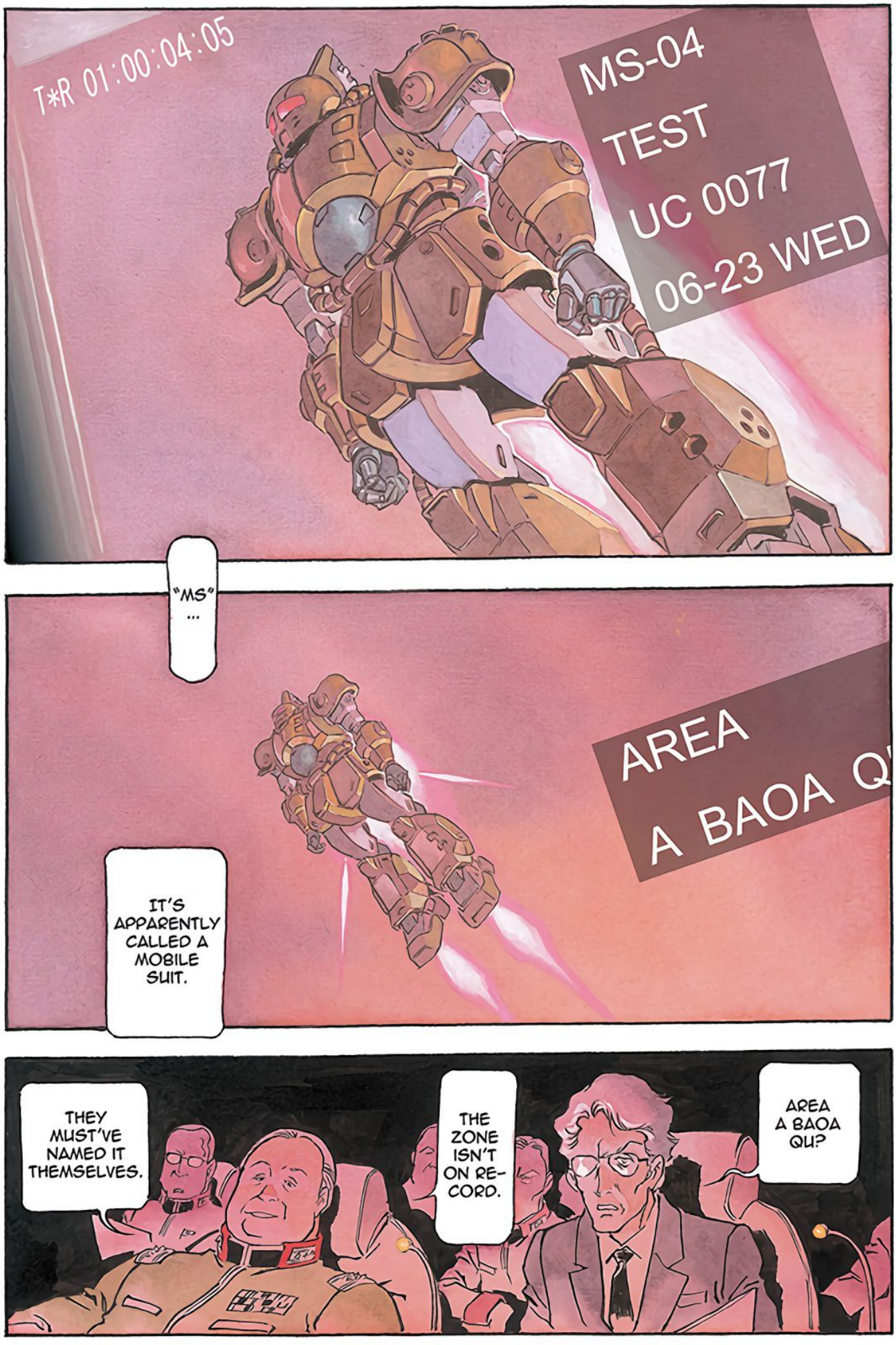

I'M THE PROJECT DIREC-TOR,
GOPP.


I CAN GUESS —
HE GREW A CON-SCIENCE.
A GOOD CHAP, AT HEART.

AH...

YOU USED TO BE WITH YASHIMA'S COMPANY?
HE'S AN OLD FRIEND.

TO SHOW YOU GOODS WE WEREN'T SURE OF?
DO YOU THINK WE'D CALL YOU CLEAR TO THE OTHER SIDE OF THE WORLD
YOU CAN TRUST THE SOURCE?
SO,
LET US HEAR YOUR HONEST OPINION.
HAS TAKEN A SHARP TURN FOR THE WORSE.
AS YOU KNOW, DUE TO A TRAVESTY COMMITTED BY SOME THOUGHTLESS TYPES, OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH ZEON
TO DEFECT.
HE WANTS TO USE THE COVER
IT'LL MEAN A MASS EXODUS OF OUR EXPATS, TOO.
THE FEDERATION WILL PULL OUT ALL OF ITS ASSETS.
THIS...
WE'RE ROLLING THE FOOTAGE.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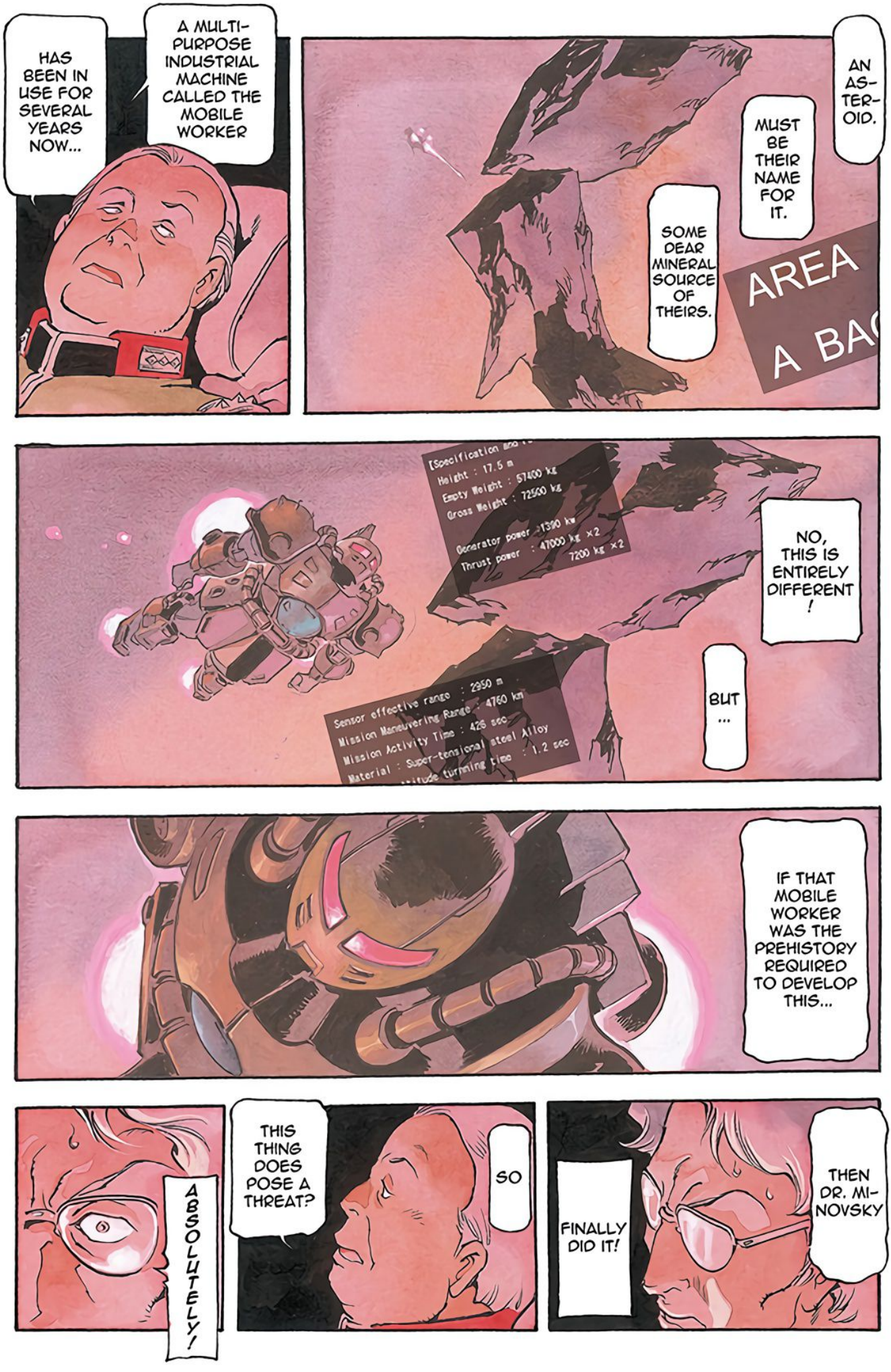
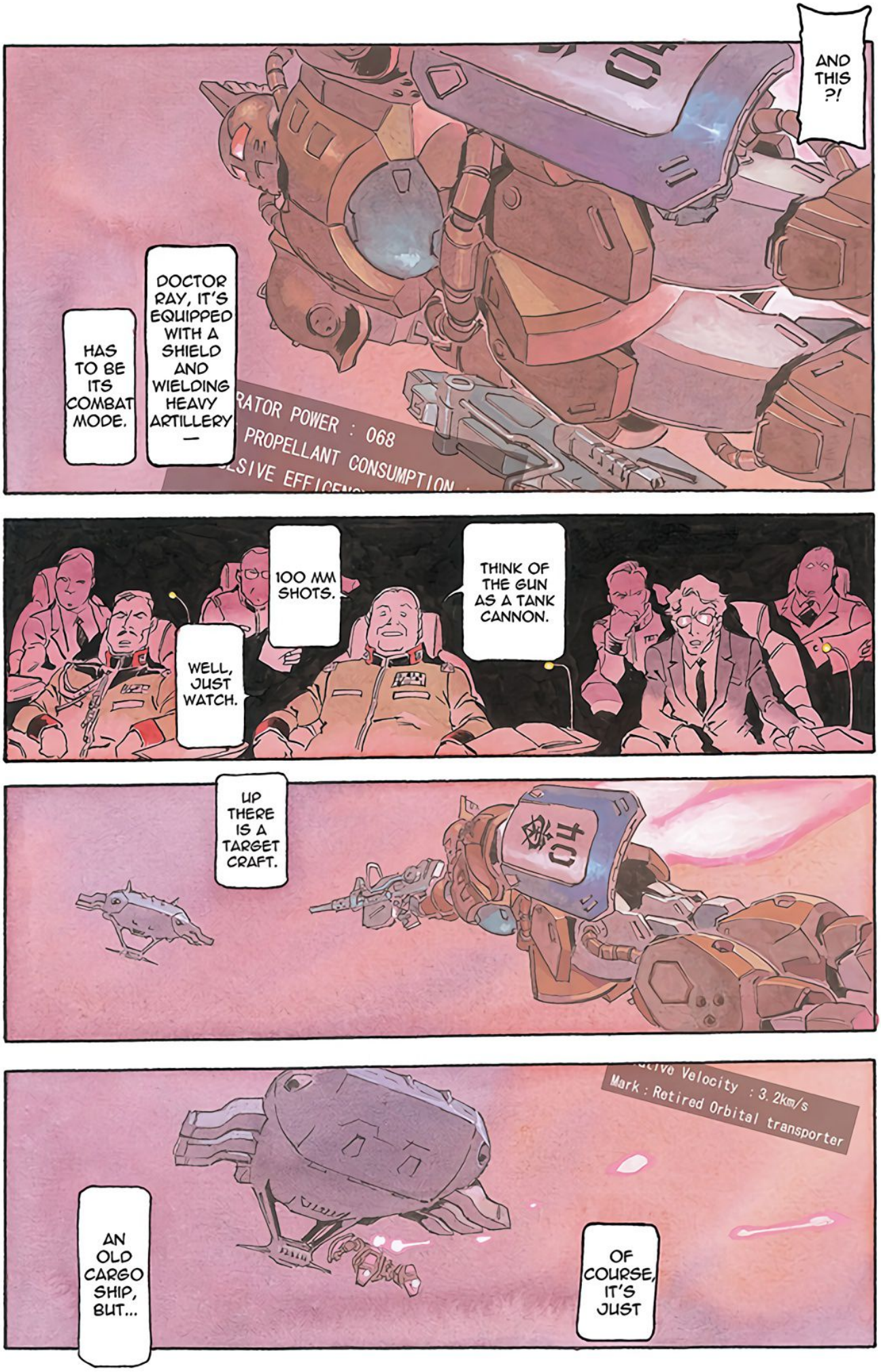
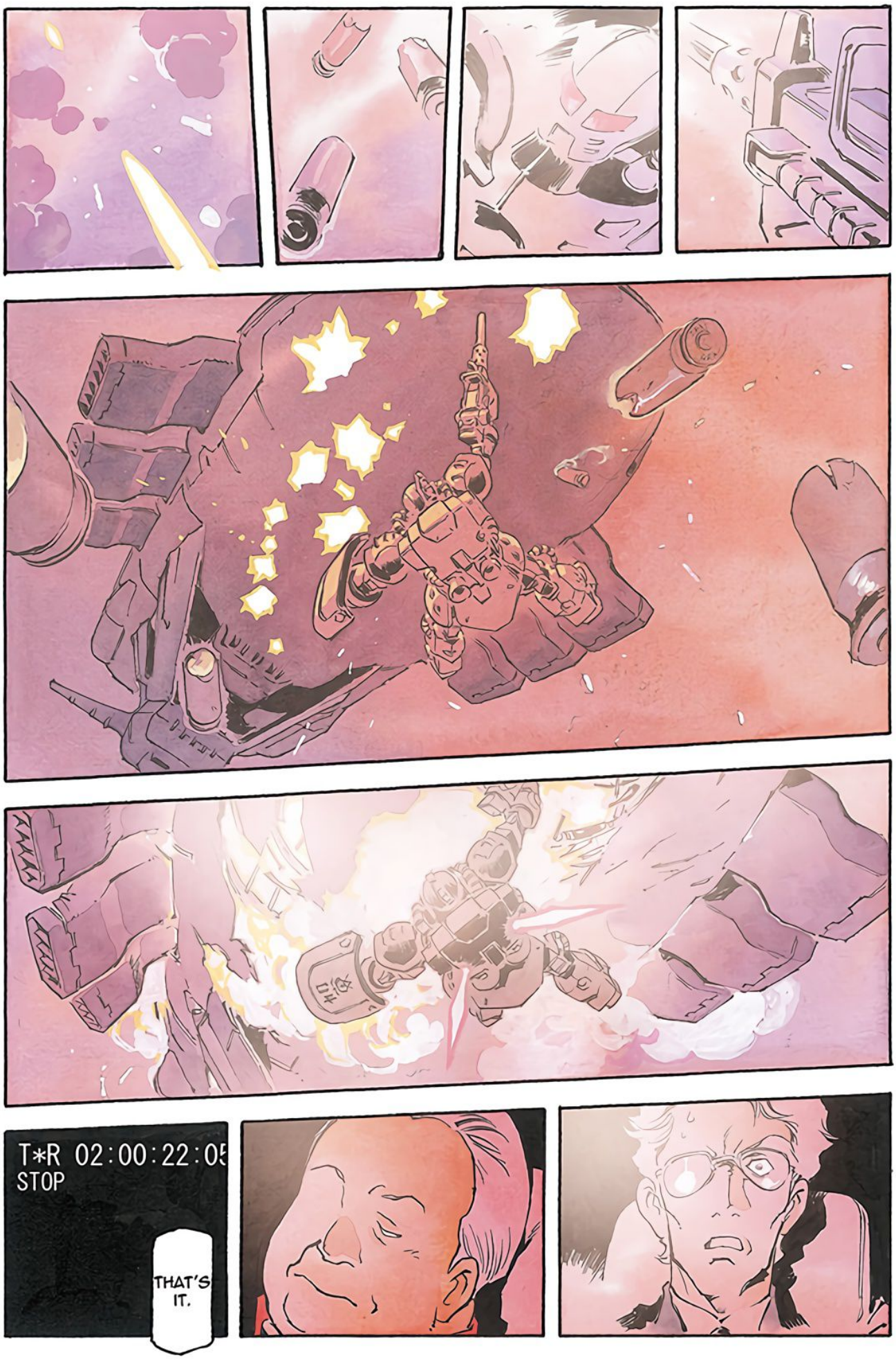
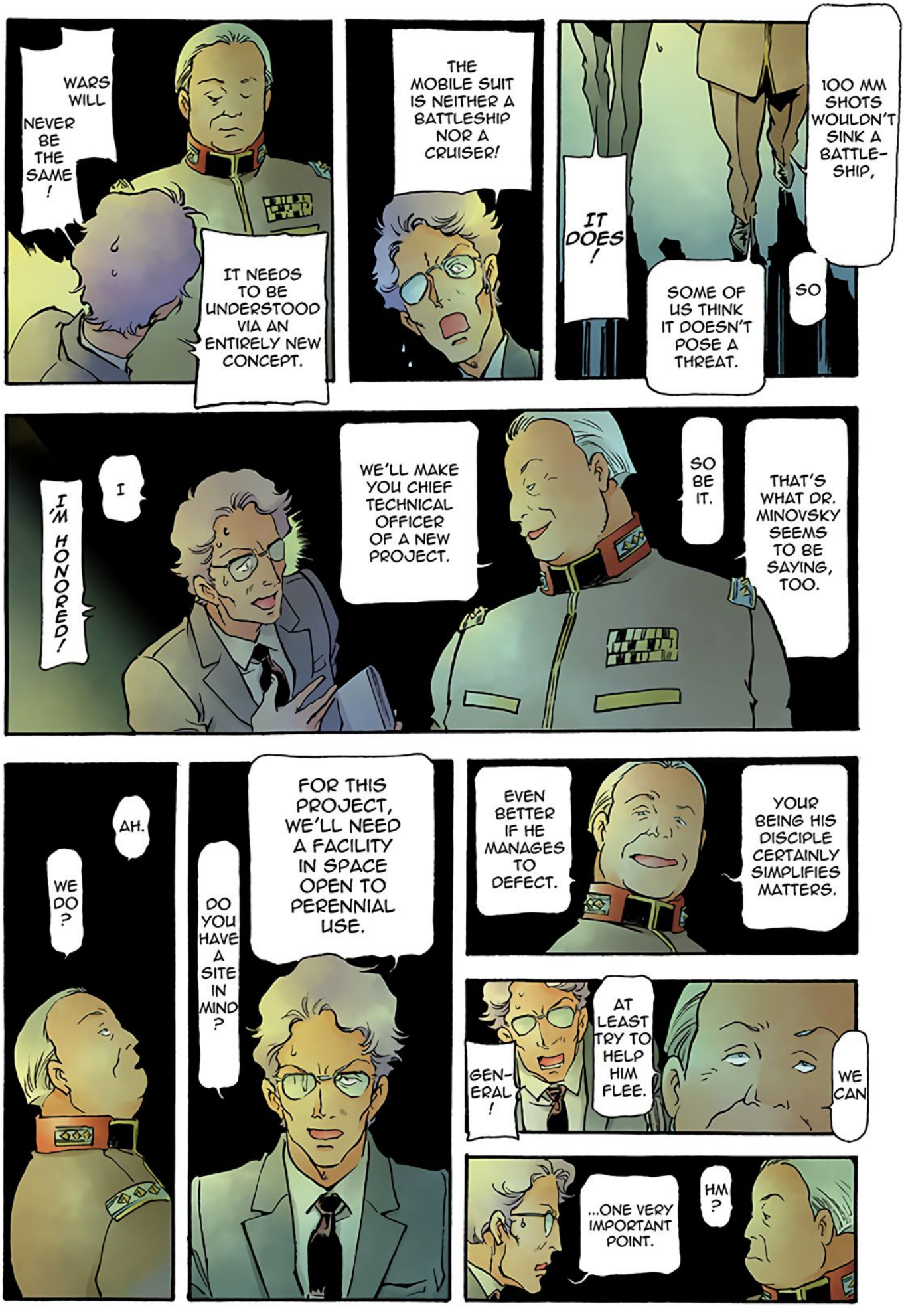
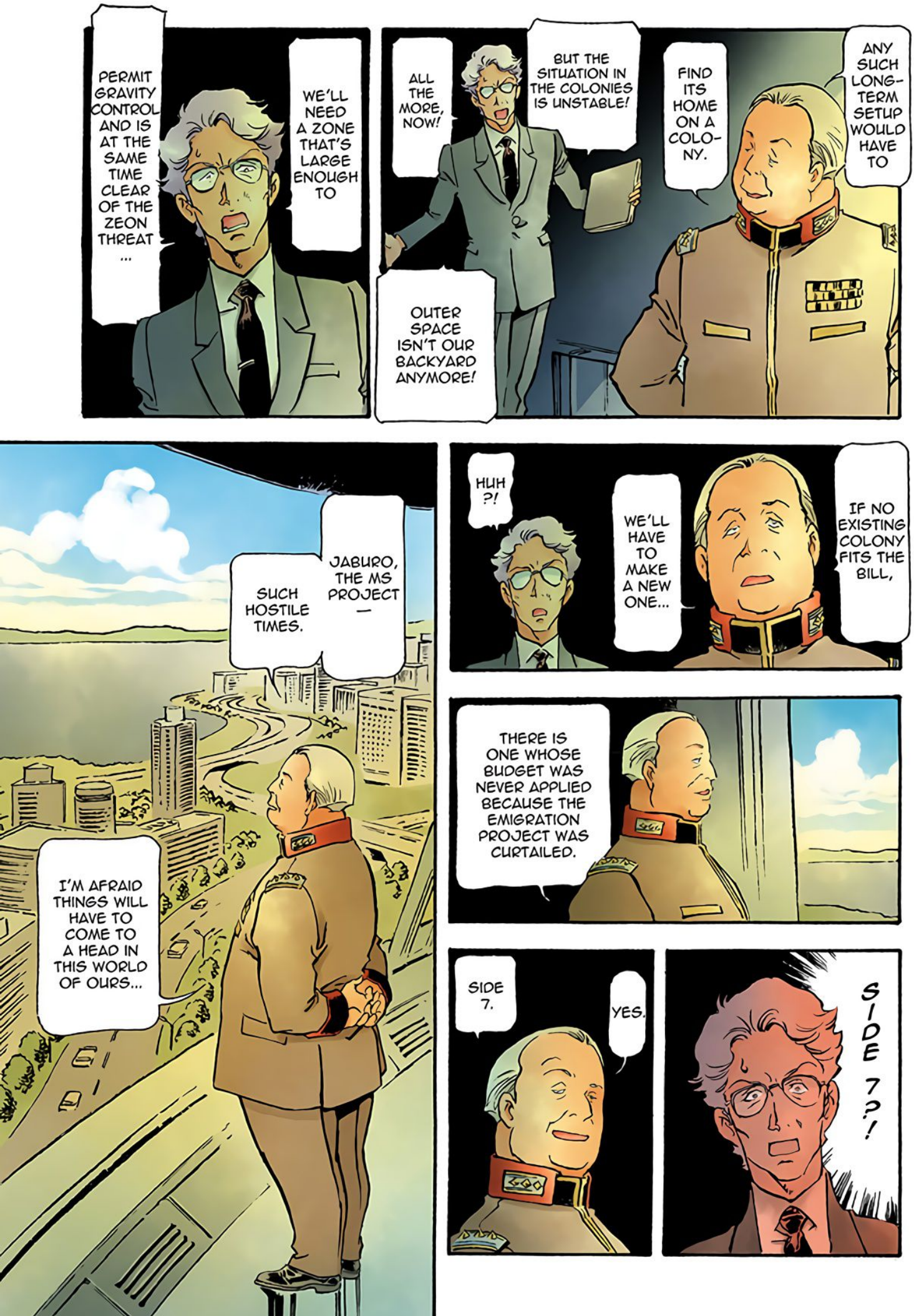
"MS"
...
AREA
A BAOA Q
IT'S APPARENTLY CALLED A MOBILE SUIT.
THEY MUST'VE NAMED IT THEMSELVES.
THE ZONE ISN'T ON RE-CORD.
AREA A BAOA QU?


HAS BEEN IN USE FOR SEVERAL YEARS NOW...
A MULTI-PURPOSE INDUSTRIAL MACHINE CALLED THE MOBILE WORKER
AN AS-TER-OID.
MUST BE THEIR NAME FOR IT.
SOME DEAR MINERAL SOURCE OF THEIRS.
AREA
A BA
[Specification and
Height : 17.5 m
Empty Weight : 57400 kg
Gross Weight : 72500 kg
Generator power : 1390 kw
Thrust power : 47000 kg ×2
7200 kg ×2
Sensor effective range : 2950 m
Mission Maneuvering Range : 4760 km
Mission Activity Time : 426 sec
Material : Super-tensional steel Alloy
...itude turning time : 1.2 sec
NO, THIS IS ENTIRELY DIFFERENT !
BUT ...
IF THAT MOBILE WORKER WAS THE PREHISTORY REQUIRED TO DEVELOP THIS...
ABSOLUTELY!
THIS THING DOES POSE A THREAT?
SO
FINALLY DID IT!
THEN DR. MI-NOVSKY

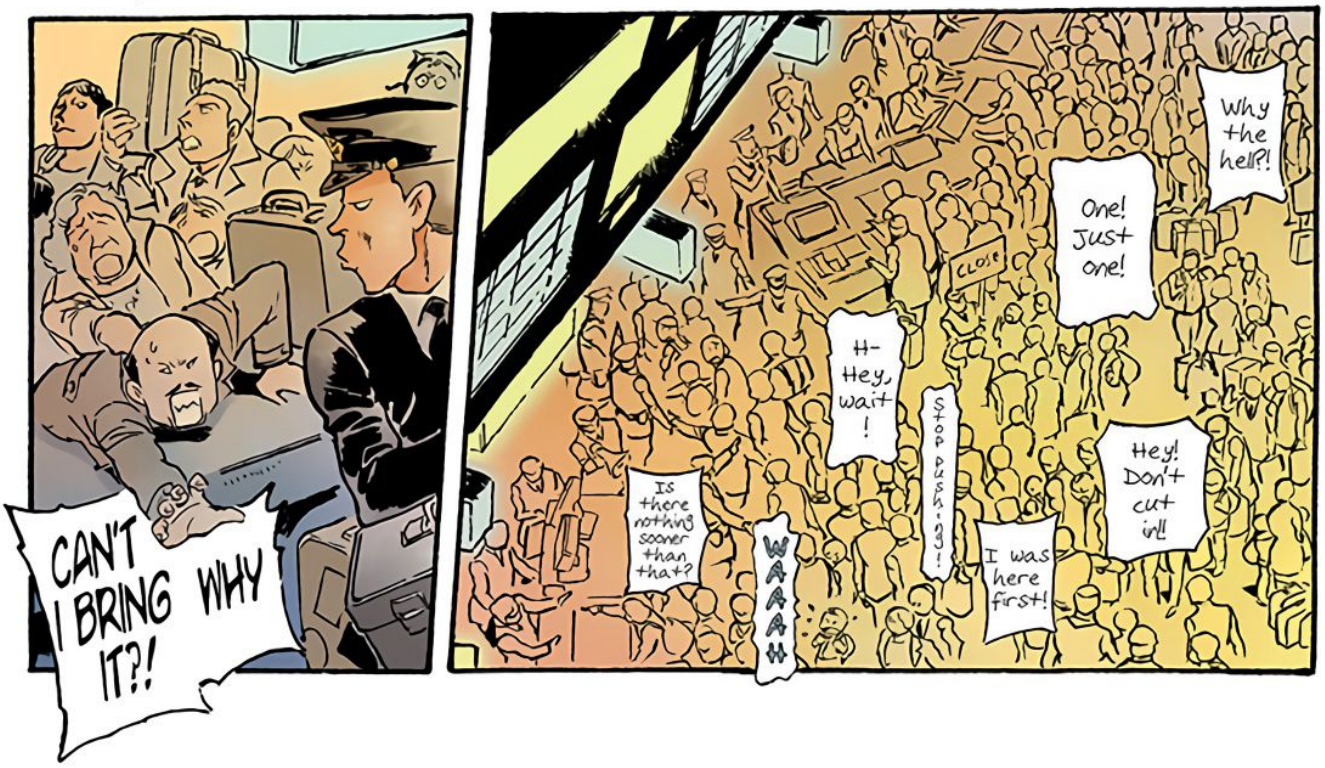

AND THIS ?!
DOCTOR RAY, IT'S EQUIPPED WITH A SHIELD AND WIELDING HEAVY ARTILLERY —
HAS TO BE ITS COMBAT MODE.
RATOR POWER : 068
PROPELLANT CONSUMPTION
100 MM SHOTS.
THINK OF THE GUN AS A TANK CANNON.
WELL, JUST WATCH.
UP THERE IS A TARGET CRAFT.
ctive Velocity : 3.2km/s
Mark : Retired Orbital transporter
AN OLD CARGO SHIP, BUT...
OF COURSE, IT'S JUST

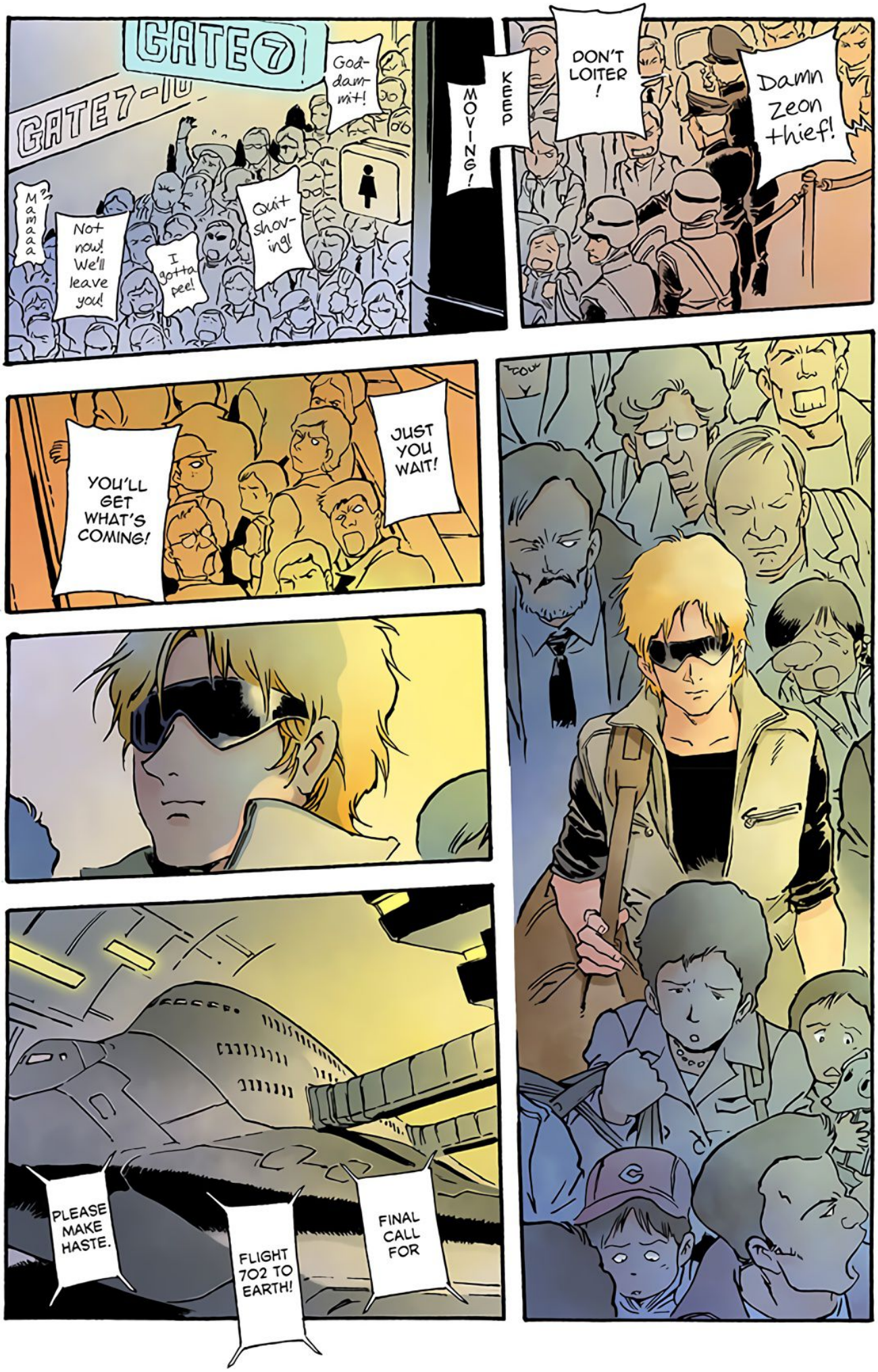

T*R 02:00:22:05
STOP
THAT'S IT.


WARS WILL NEVER BE THE SAME!
IT NEEDS TO BE UNDERSTOOD VIA AN ENTIRELY NEW CONCEPT.
THE MOBILE SUIT IS NEITHER A BATTLESHIP NOR A CRUISER!
100 MM SHOTS WOULDN'T SINK A BATTLE-SHIP,
SO
SOME OF US THINK IT DOESN'T POSE A THREAT.
IT DOES!
THAT'S WHAT DR. MINOVSKY SEEMS TO BE SAYING, TOO.
SO BE IT.
WE'LL MAKE YOU CHIEF TECHNICAL OFFICER OF A NEW PROJECT.
I
I'M HONORED!
YOUR BEING HIS DISCIPLE CERTAINLY SIMPLIFIES MATTERS.
EVEN BETTER IF HE MANAGES TO DEFECT.
WE CAN
AT LEAST TRY TO HELP HIM FLEE.
GEN-ERAL!
HM?
...ONE VERY IMPORTANT POINT.
FOR THIS PROJECT, WE'LL NEED A FACILITY IN SPACE OPEN TO PERENNIAL USE.
DO YOU HAVE A SITE IN MIND?
AH.
WE DO?

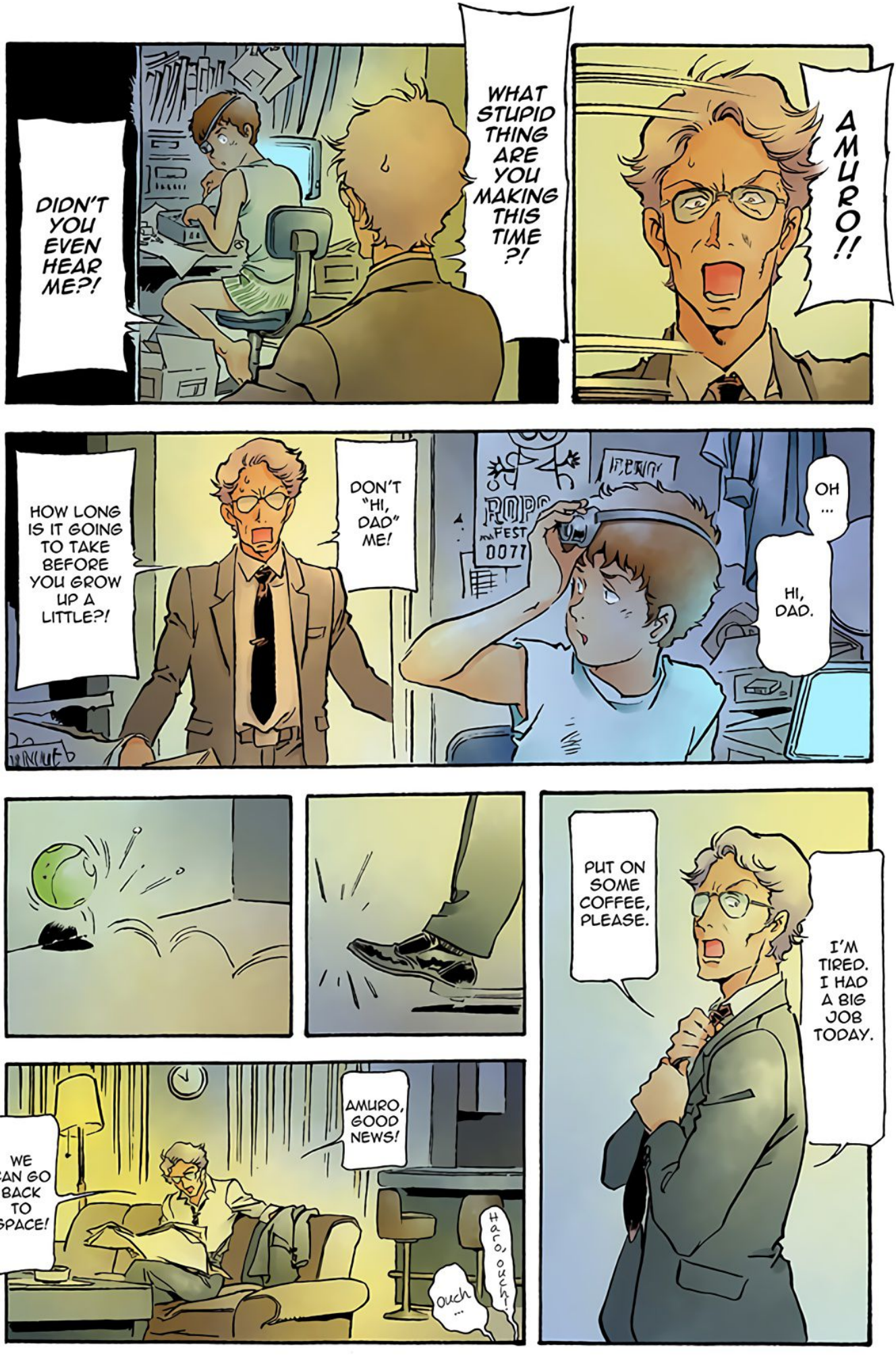

PERMIT GRAVITY CONTROL AND IS AT THE SAME TIME CLEAR OF THE ZEON THREAT ...
WE'LL NEED A ZONE THAT'S LARGE ENOUGH TO
ALL THE MORE, NOW!
BUT THE SITUATION IN THE COLONIES IS UNSTABLE!
OUTER SPACE ISN'T OUR BACKYARD ANYMORE!
FIND ITS HOME ON A COLO-NY.
ANY SUCH LONG-TERM SETUP WOULD HAVE TO
HUH ?!
WE'LL HAVE TO MAKE A NEW ONE...
IF NO EXISTING COLONY FITS THE BILL,
THERE IS ONE WHOSE BUDGET WAS NEVER APPLIED BECAUSE THE EMIGRATION PROJECT WAS CURTAILED.
SIDE 7.
YES.
SIDE 7?!
SUCH HOSTILE TIMES.
JABURO, THE MS PROJECT —
I'M AFRAID THINGS WILL HAVE TO COME TO A HEAD IN THIS WORLD OF OURS...

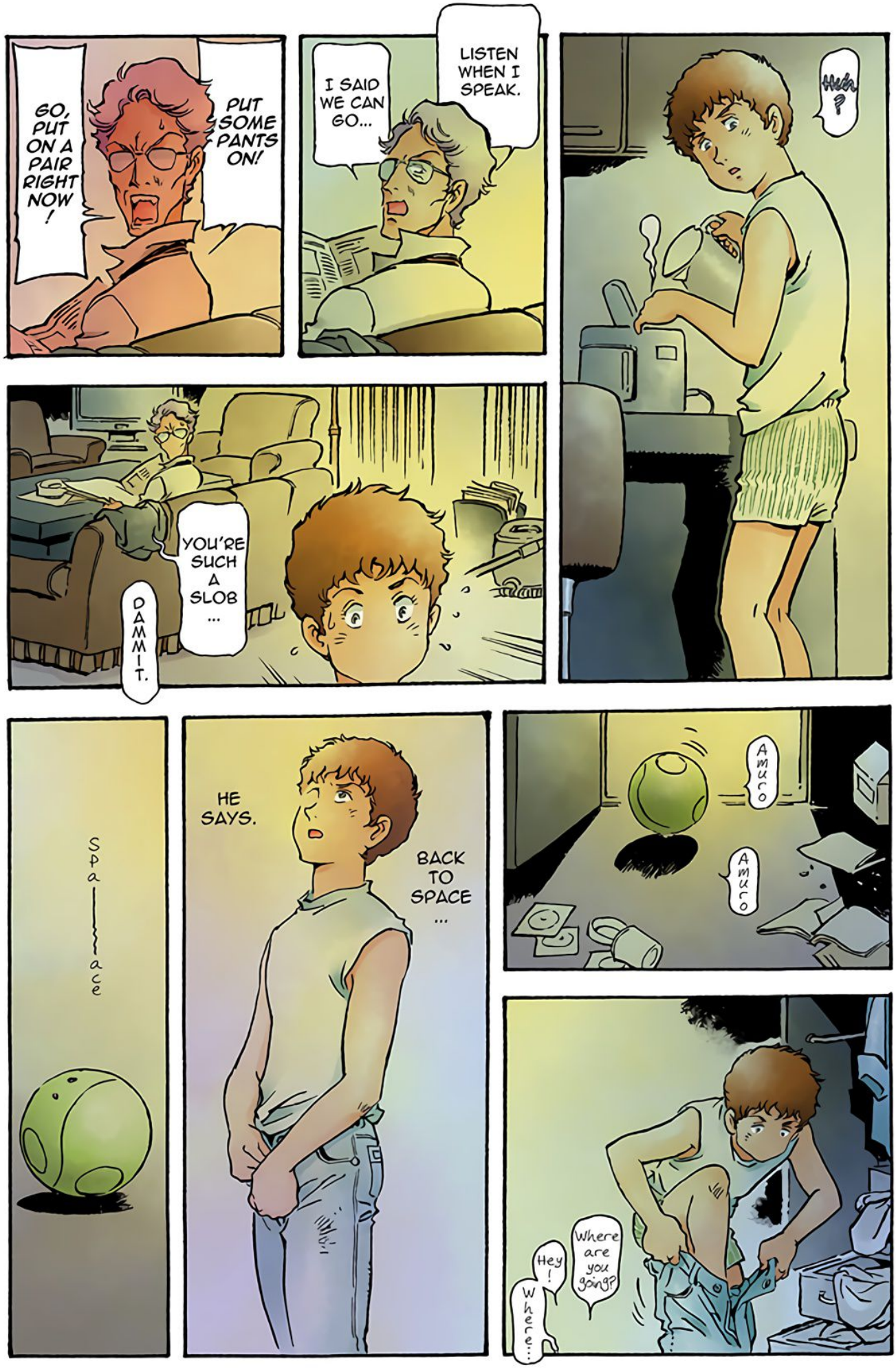
WAIT AS YOU MIGHT, NO STANDBY SEATS WILL BE OPENING UP TODAY!
FLIGHTS FOR GRANADA ARE SOLD OUT, TOO!
THERE ARE NO SEATS LEFT ON DIRECT FLIGHTS TO EARTH!

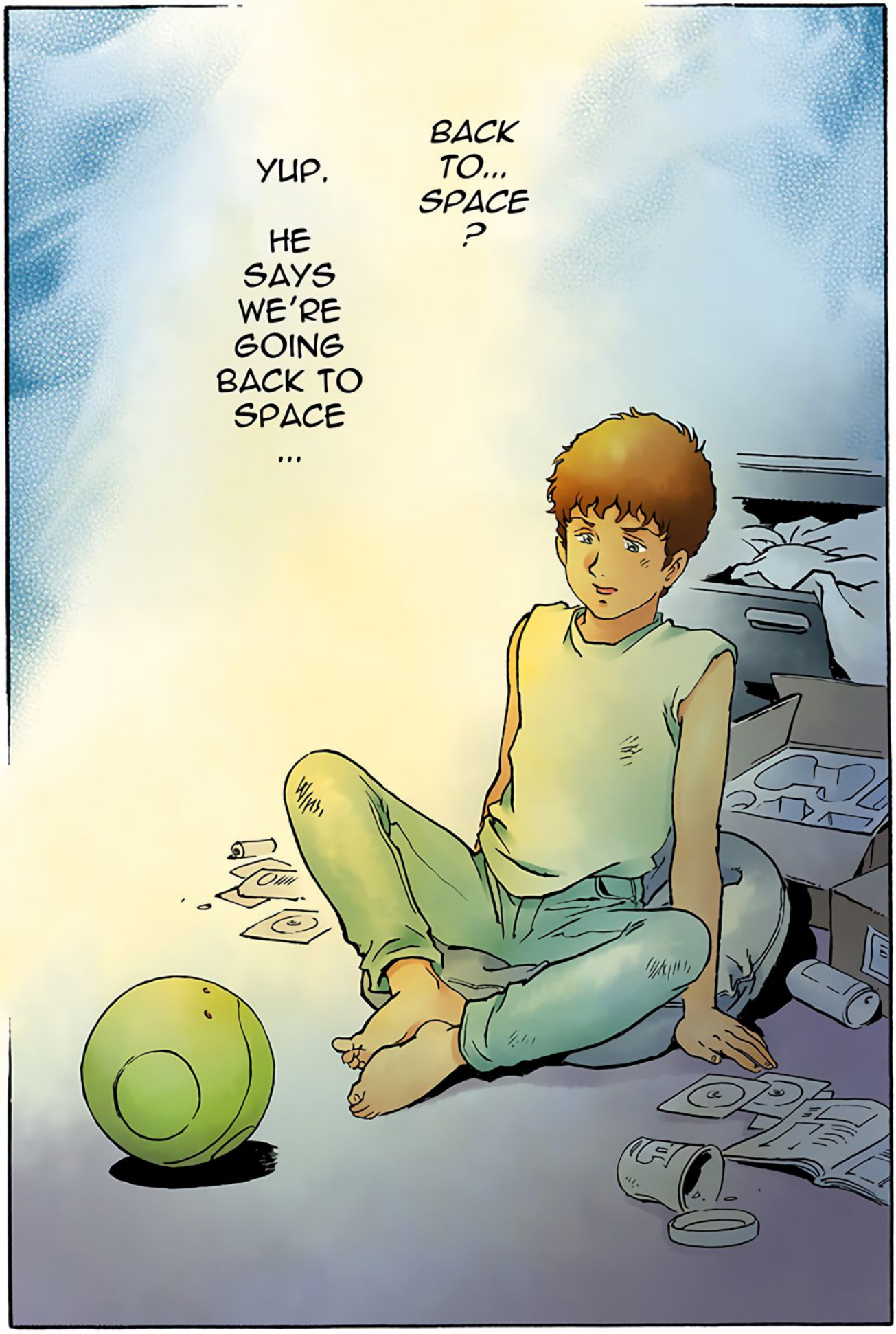

CAN'T I BRING IT?!
WHY
Why the hell?!
One! Just one!
CLOSE
H-Hey, wait!
Stop pushing!
Hey! Don't cut in!!
I was here first!
Is there nothing sooner than that?
WAAAH


GATE 7
GATE 7-10
God-dammit!
Mamaaa
Not now! We'll leave you!
I gotta pee!
Quit shoving!
KEEP MOVING!
DON'T LOITER!
Damn Zeon thief!
JUST YOU WAIT!
YOU'LL GET WHAT'S COMING!
PLEASE MAKE HASTE.
FLIGHT 702 TO EARTH!
FINAL CALL FOR

AMURO, I'M BACK!
THE DOOR WASN'T LOCKED!
WHAT THE— THAT'S NOT SAFE.
AND
ALL THIS AGAIN!


AMURO!!
WHAT STUPID THING ARE YOU MAKING THIS TIME?!
DIDN'T YOU EVEN HEAR ME?!
OH ...
HI, DAD.
DON'T "HI, DAD" ME!
HOW LONG IS IT GOING TO TAKE BEFORE YOU GROW UP A LITTLE?!
I'M TIRED. I HAD A BIG JOB TODAY.
PUT ON SOME COFFEE, PLEASE.
AMURO, GOOD NEWS!
WE CAN GO BACK TO SPACE!
Haro, ouch!
ouch ...


PUT SOME PANTS ON!
GO, PUT ON A PAIR RIGHT NOW!
I SAID WE CAN GO...
LISTEN WHEN I SPEAK.
Huh?
YOU'RE SUCH A SLOB ...
DAMMIT.
Spa——mace
HE SAYS.
BACK TO SPACE ...
AMUCO
AMUCO
Where are you going?
Hey! Where...


BACK TO... SPACE ?
YUP.
HE SAYS WE'RE GOING BACK TO SPACE ...

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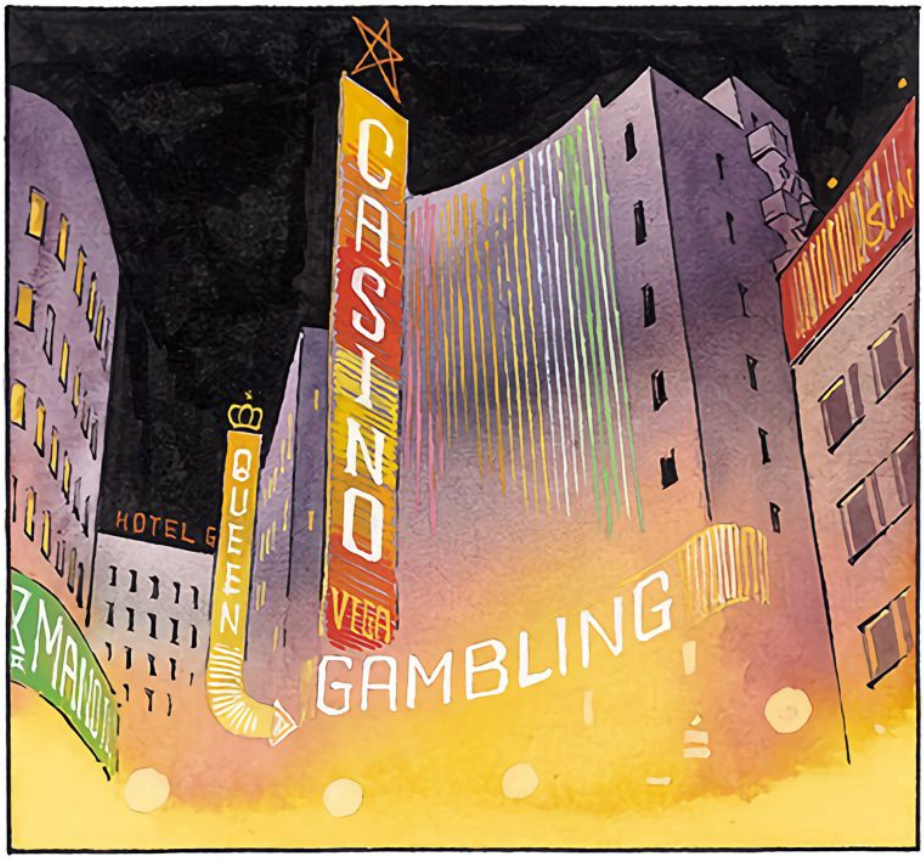
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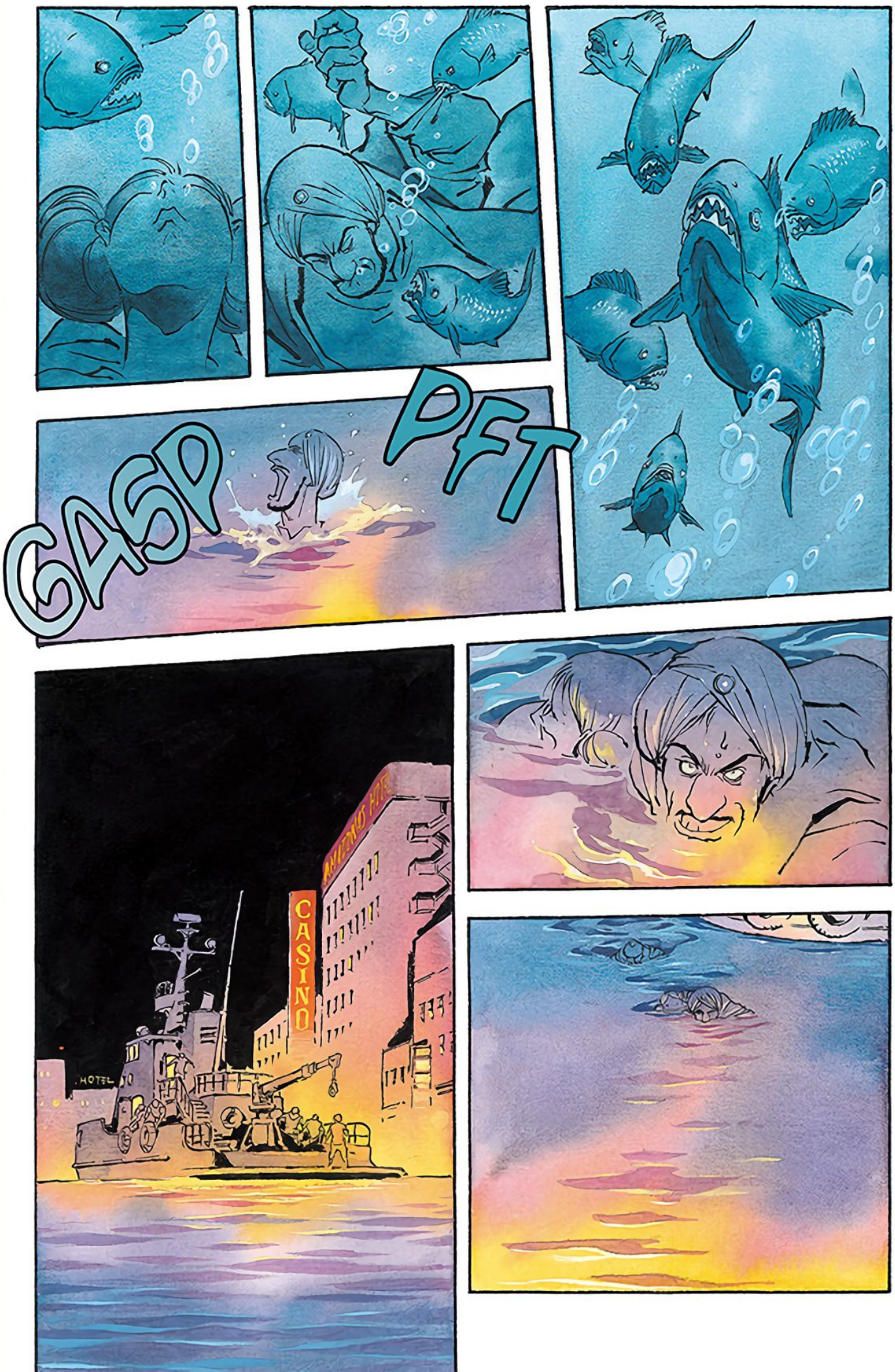
QUEEN
GAMBLING

BAY ST


GASP
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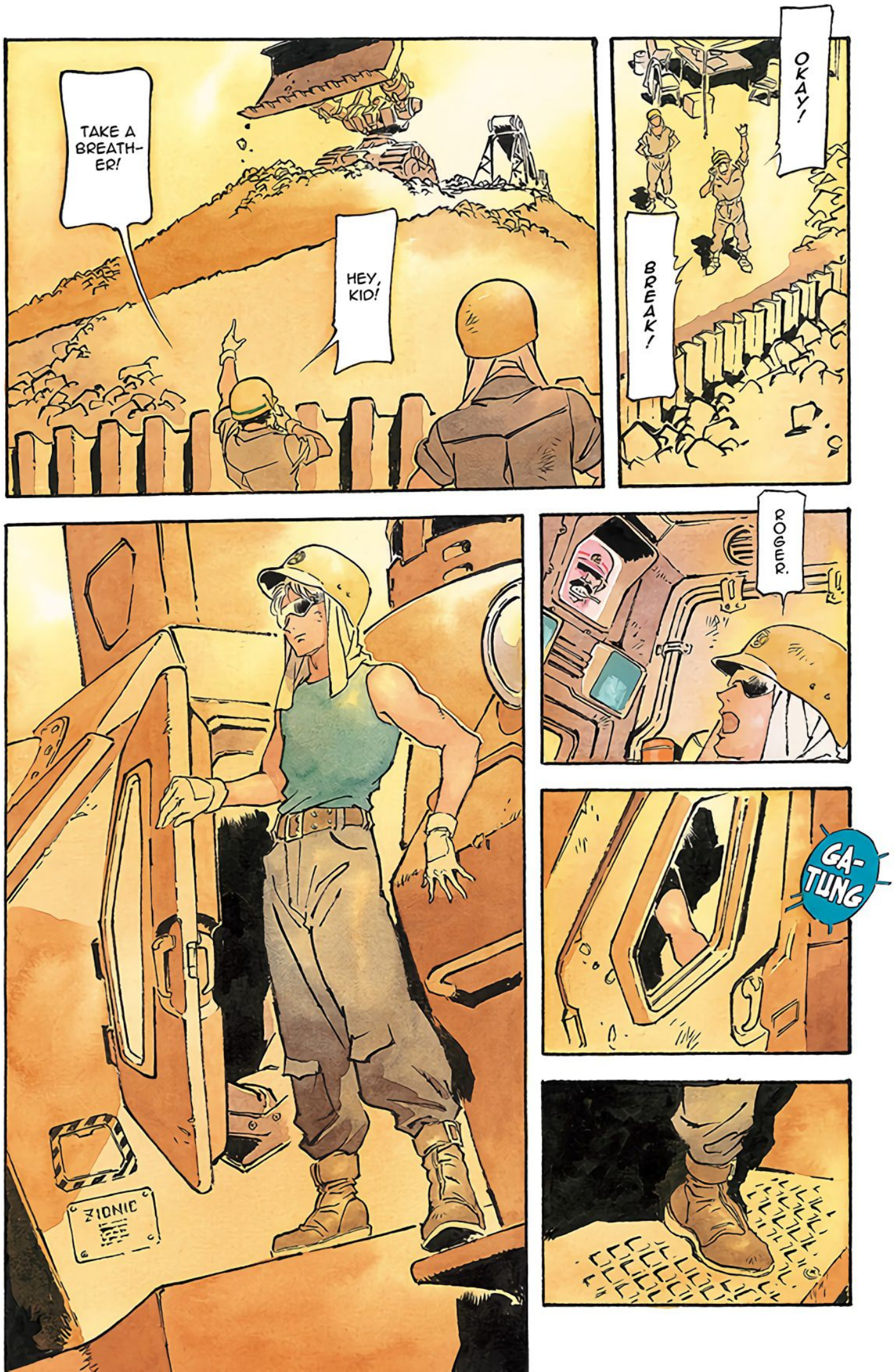
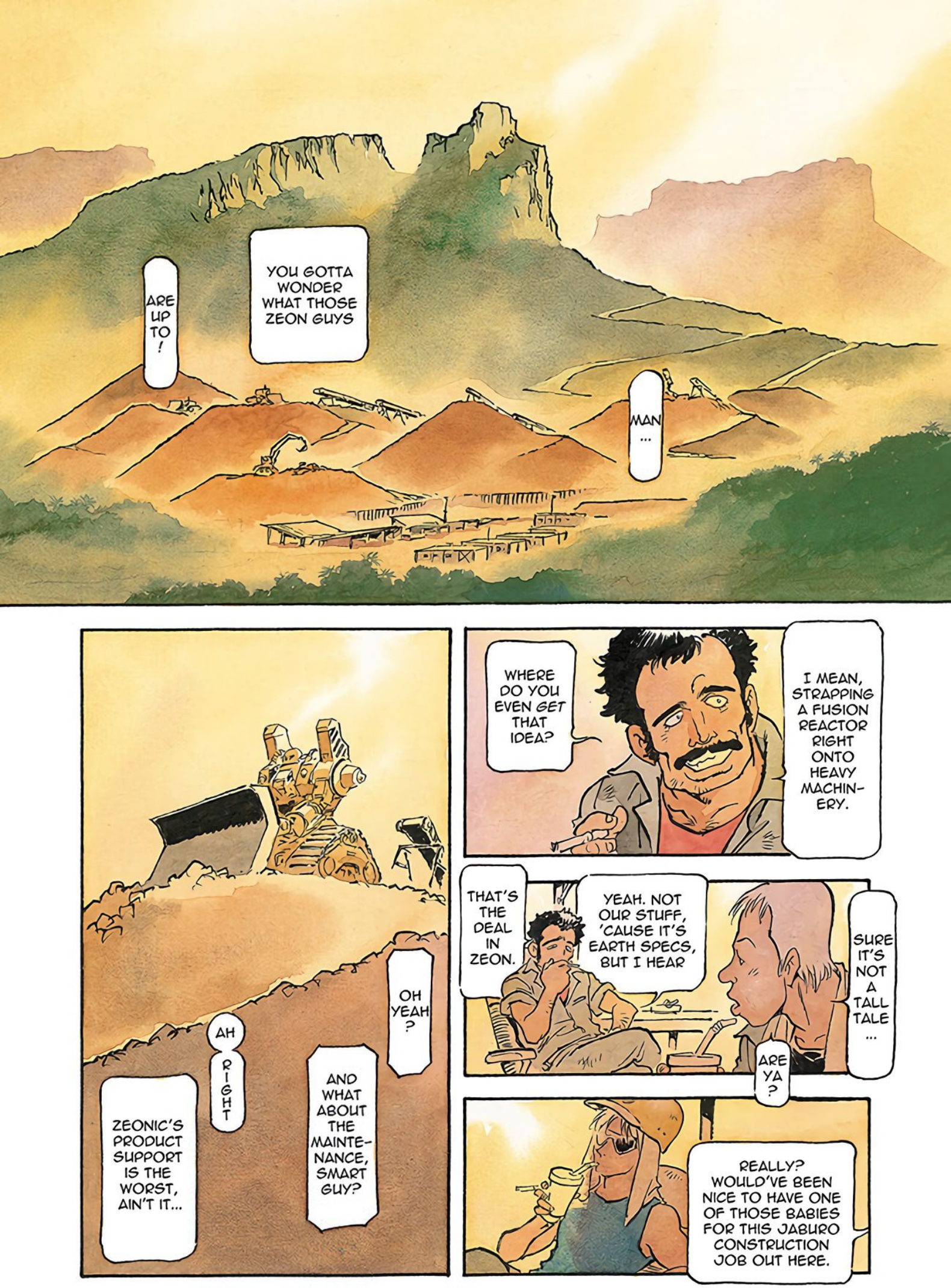
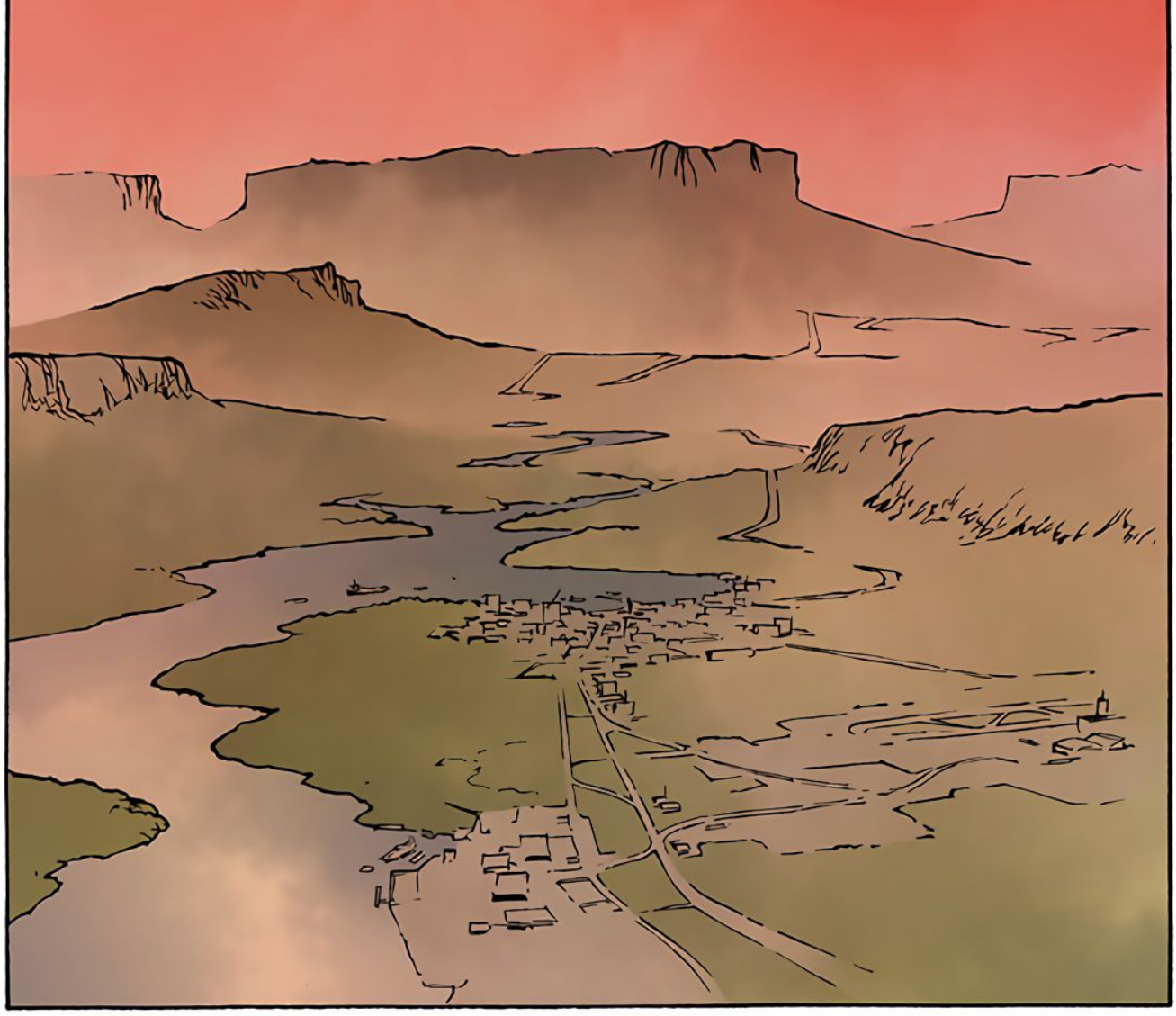
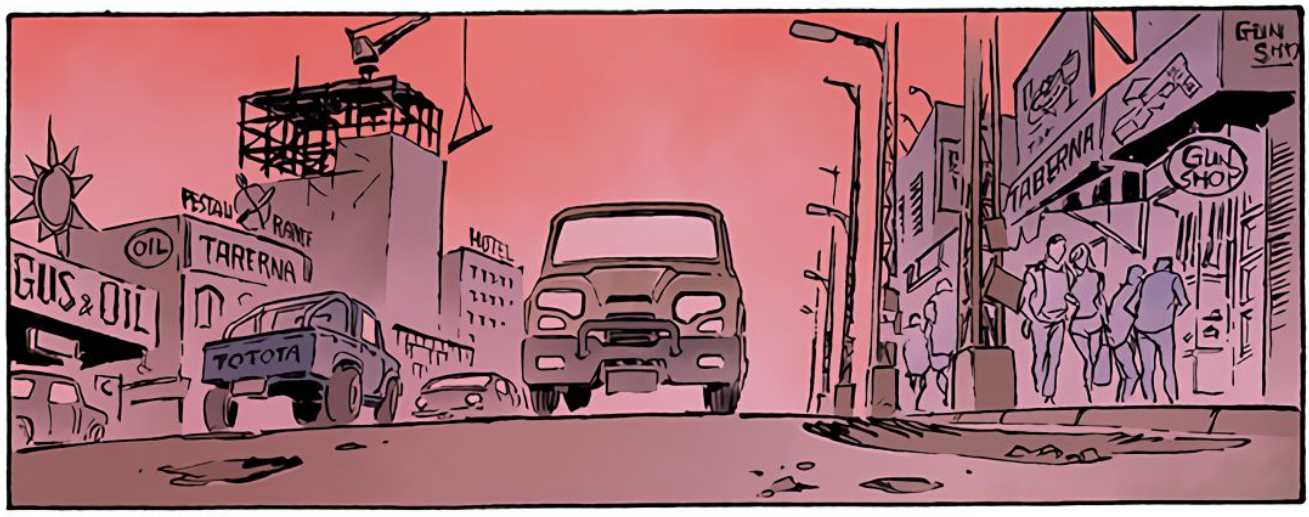

TAKE A BREATHER!
HEY, KID!
OKAY!
BREAK!
ROGER.
GA-TUNG
ZIONIC


YOU GOTTA WONDER WHAT THOSE ZEON GUYS
ARE UP TO!
MAN...
I MEAN, STRAPPING A FUSION REACTOR RIGHT ONTO HEAVY MACHINERY.
WHERE DO YOU EVEN GET THAT IDEA?
SURE IT'S NOT A TALL TALE...
ARE YA?
YEAH. NOT OUR STUFF, 'CAUSE IT'S EARTH SPECS, BUT I HEAR
THAT'S THE DEAL IN ZEON.
REALLY? WOULD'VE BEEN NICE TO HAVE ONE OF THOSE BABIES FOR THIS JABURO CONSTRUCTION JOB OUT HERE.
OH YEAH?
AND WHAT ABOUT THE MAINTENANCE, SMART GUY?
AH RIGHT
ZEONIC'S PRODUCT SUPPORT IS THE WORST, AIN'T IT...

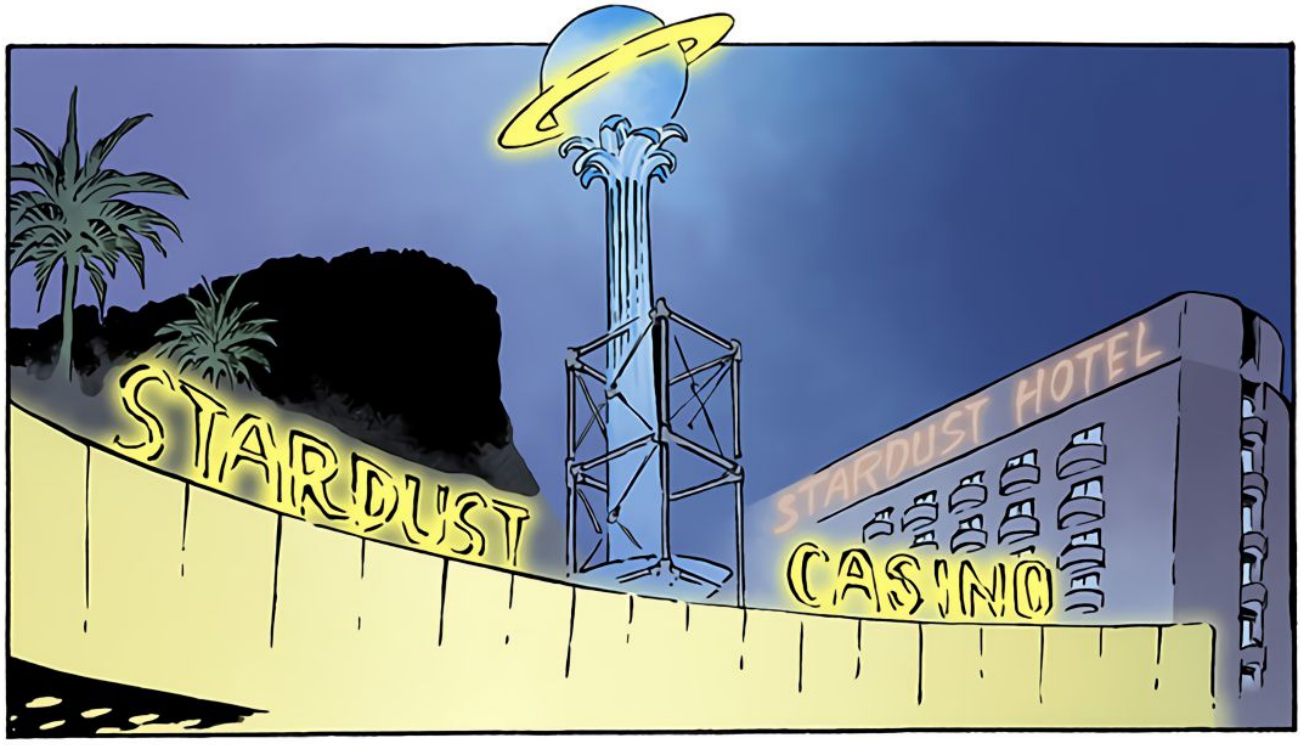
KID, BY THE BY ...
THE LEASE WON'T GET RENEWED.
ANY DAY NOW.
NEVER MIND THE SUP-PORT.
WHERE'D YOU LEARN TO OPERATE A MOBILE WORKER?
I GOTTA HAND IT TO YOU, YOU'VE GOT SOME CHOPS.
YUP ...
ZEON REALLY IS THE WORST ...
JUST BECAUSE I WAS BORN ON EARTH.
ZEONIC.
WHERE ELSE BUT THE WORST?
BUT THEY SACKED ME.
I WAS IN R&D,



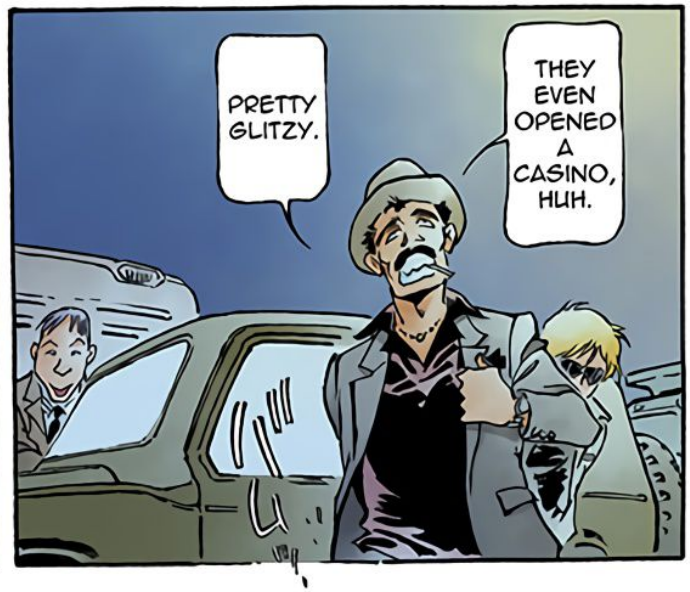

GUS & OIL
OIL
TOTOTA
HOTEL
TABERNA
GUN SHOP

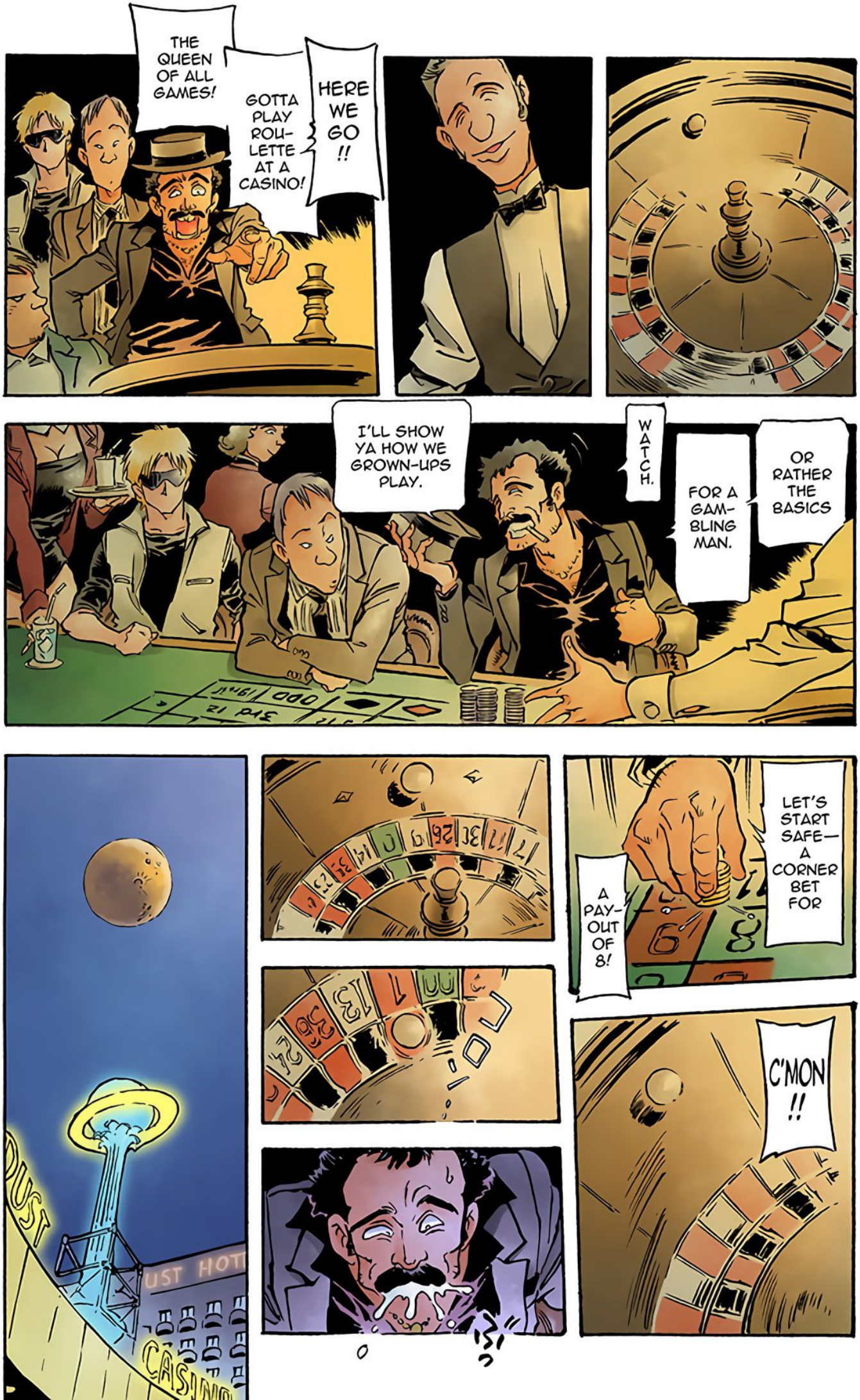
LONG LIVE JABURO, EH?
GETS BUSIER EVERY TIME I COME HERE.

WHAT'S THAT?
NO!!
NO!!
GET WITH THE TIMES, Y'KNOW.
THERE'S ALWAYS PEOPLE WHO WON'T
NO
NO!!
STAY CLEAR OF 'EM, YOU GOT IT?
THEY'LL BEAT THE SHIT OUT OF YOU IF THEY FIND OUT YOU'RE ON THE CONSTRUC-TION CREW.


STARDUST
STARDUST HOTEL
CASINO

Welcome, senhor ♥
NOW THIS IS WHERE THEY CRY, LONG LIVE JABURO!

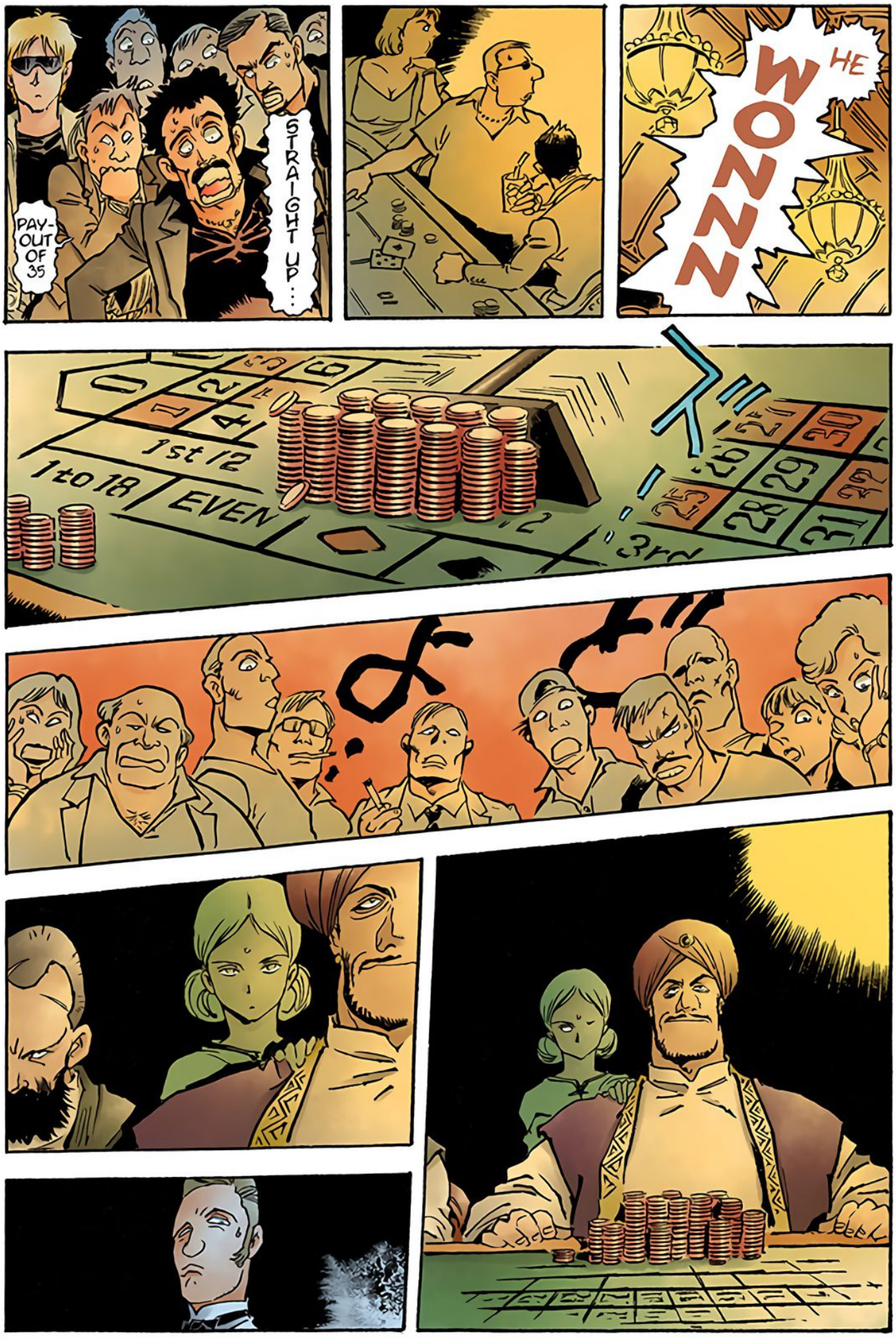

PRETTY GLITZY.
THEY EVEN OPENED A CASINO, HUH.

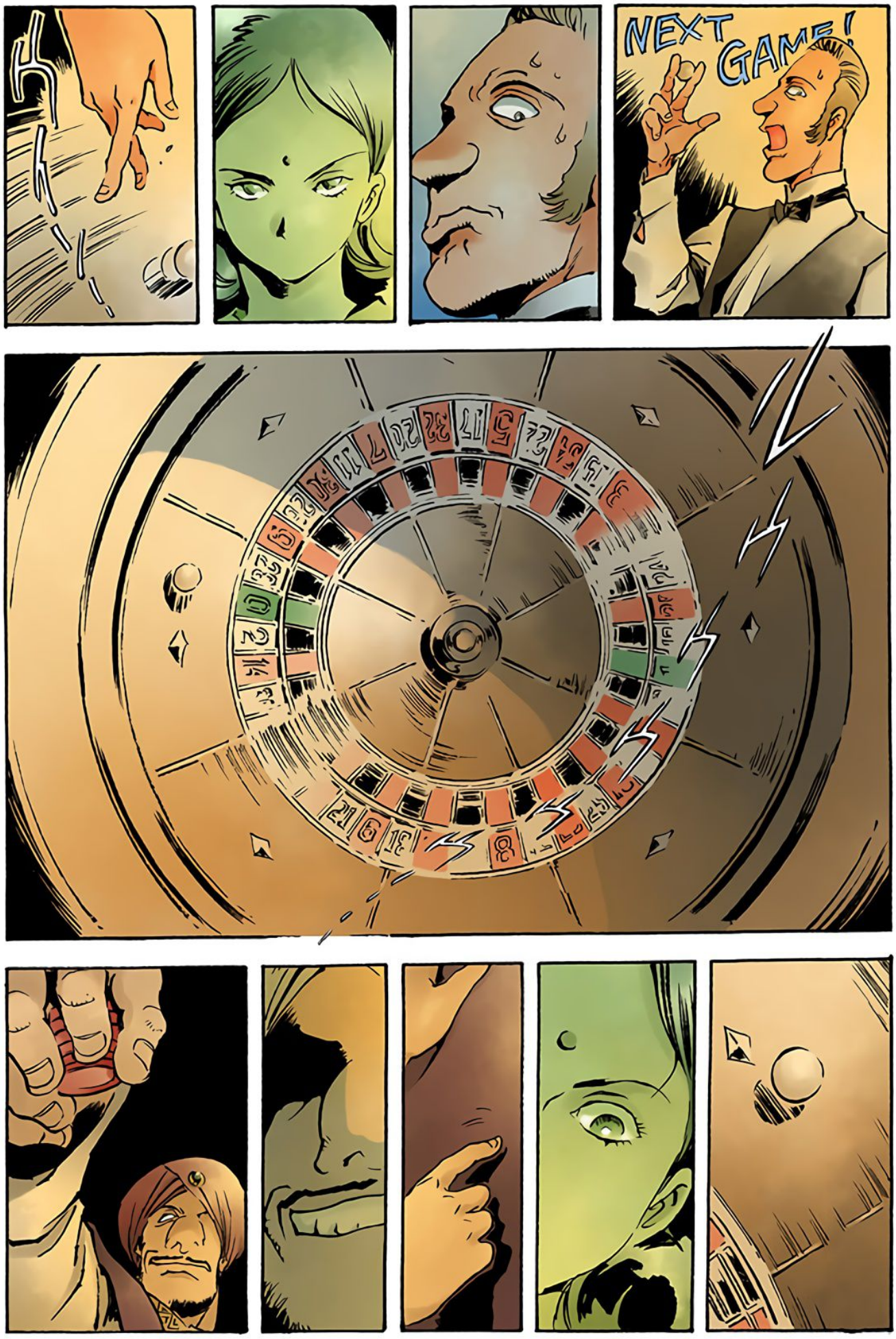

THE QUEEN OF ALL GAMES!
GOTTA PLAY ROU-LETTE AT A CASINO!
HERE WE GO !!
I'LL SHOW YA HOW WE GROWN-UPS PLAY.
WATCH.
FOR A GAM-BLING MAN.
OR RATHER THE BASICS
LET'S START SAFE— A CORNER BET FOR
A PAY-OUT OF 8!
C'MON !!

SAY IT AIN'T SO!
LOST AGAIN!
GAAH
Let's call it a night.
Boss ...
NOT EVEN ON REDS!
I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS, NOT EVEN ON A COLUMN BET...
GULP
I'LL PAY YOU BACK NEXT MONTH, I SWEAR!!
C'MON! SPOT ME!

...

BEGGAR.
MY MASTER WILL PLAY NOW. MOVE,


STRAIGHT UP...
PAY-OUT OF 35
HE WONNN
1st 12
1 to 18
EVEN
2
3rd


NEXT GAME!

No more bets!
STRAIGHT UP!
Again —

CROU-
PIER
CHANGE
!
GAME
START!

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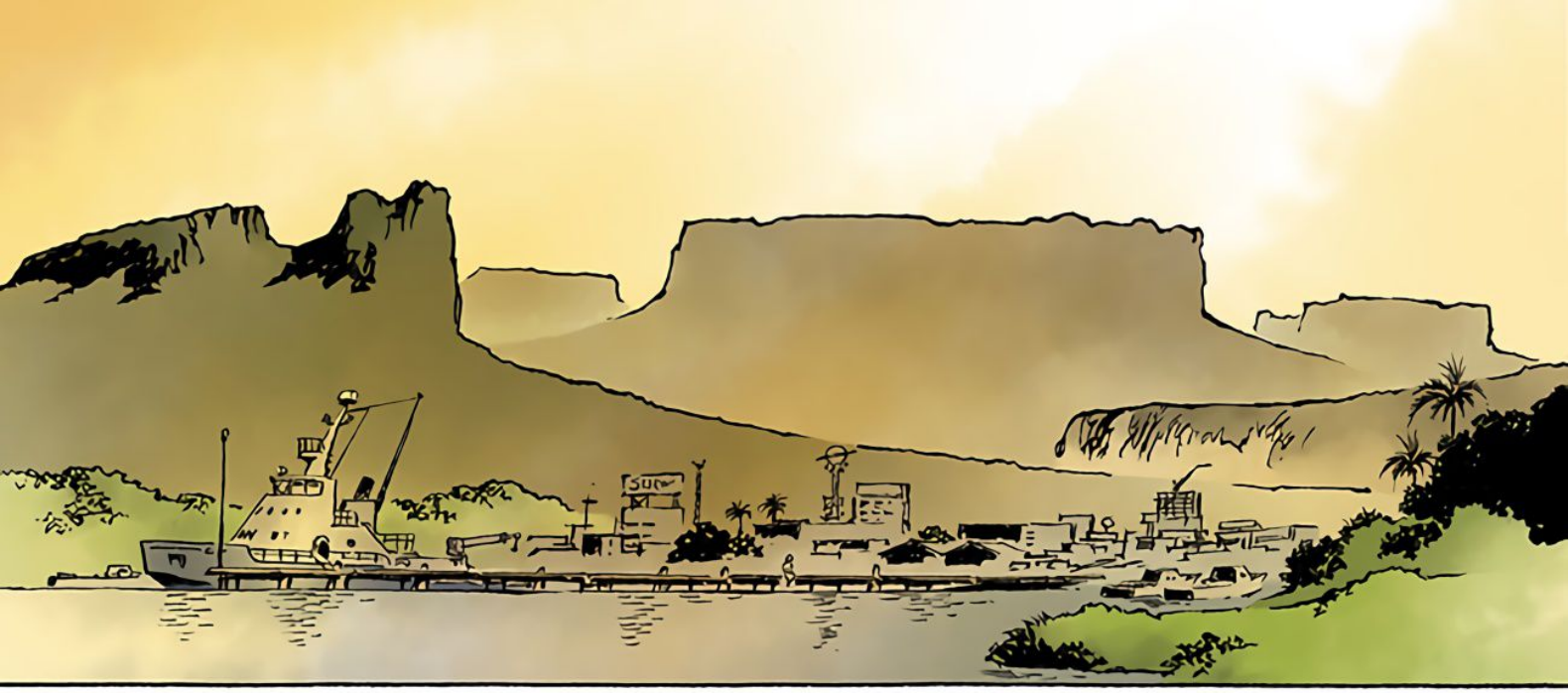
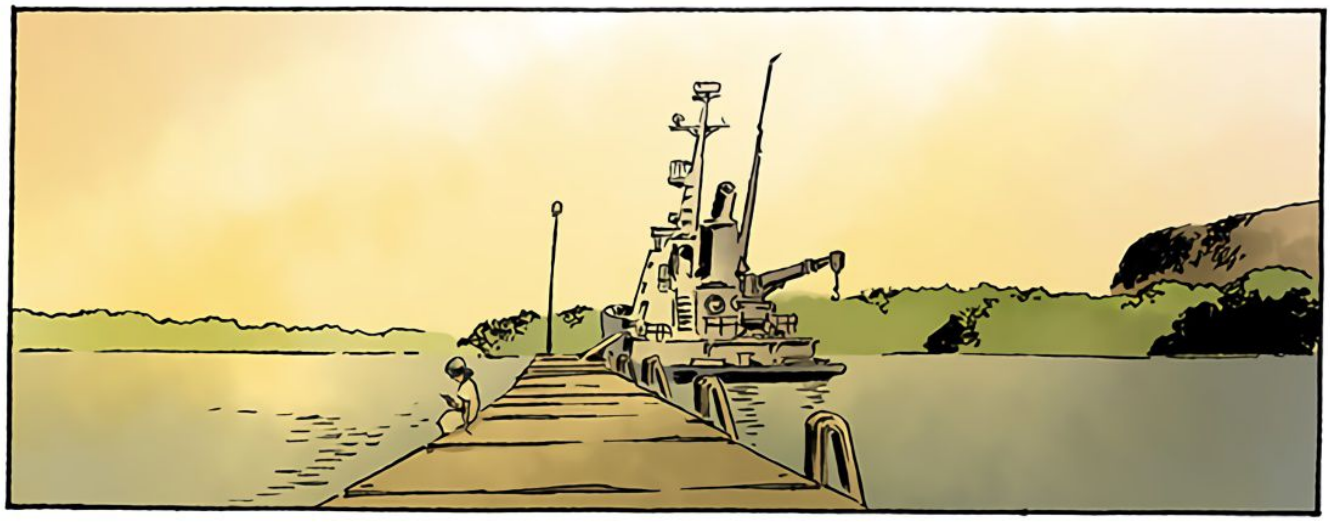
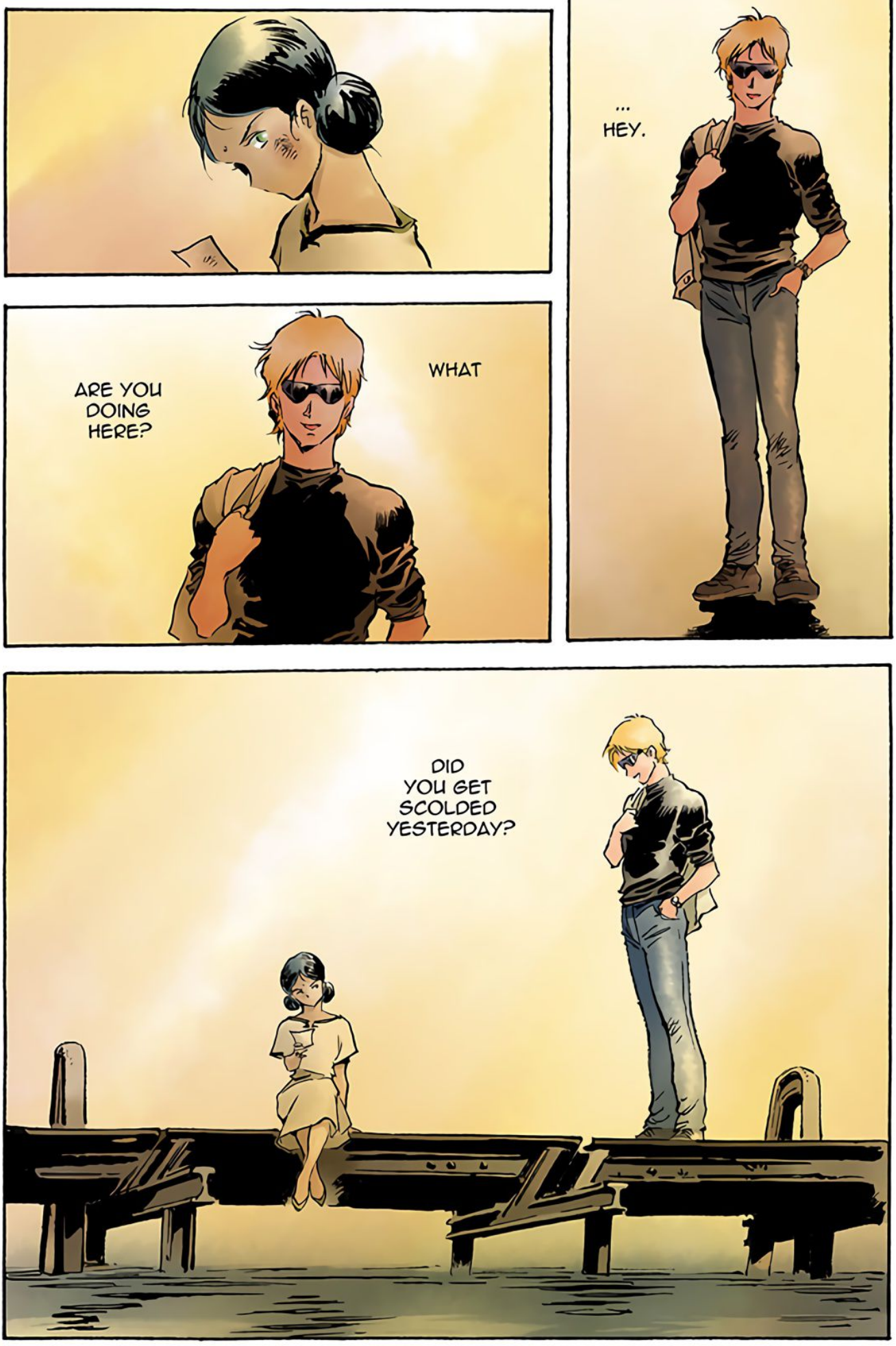
OOPS
LUCK RUN OUT ALREADY?
UH-OH.
BUT HE LOST.
SO CLOSE!



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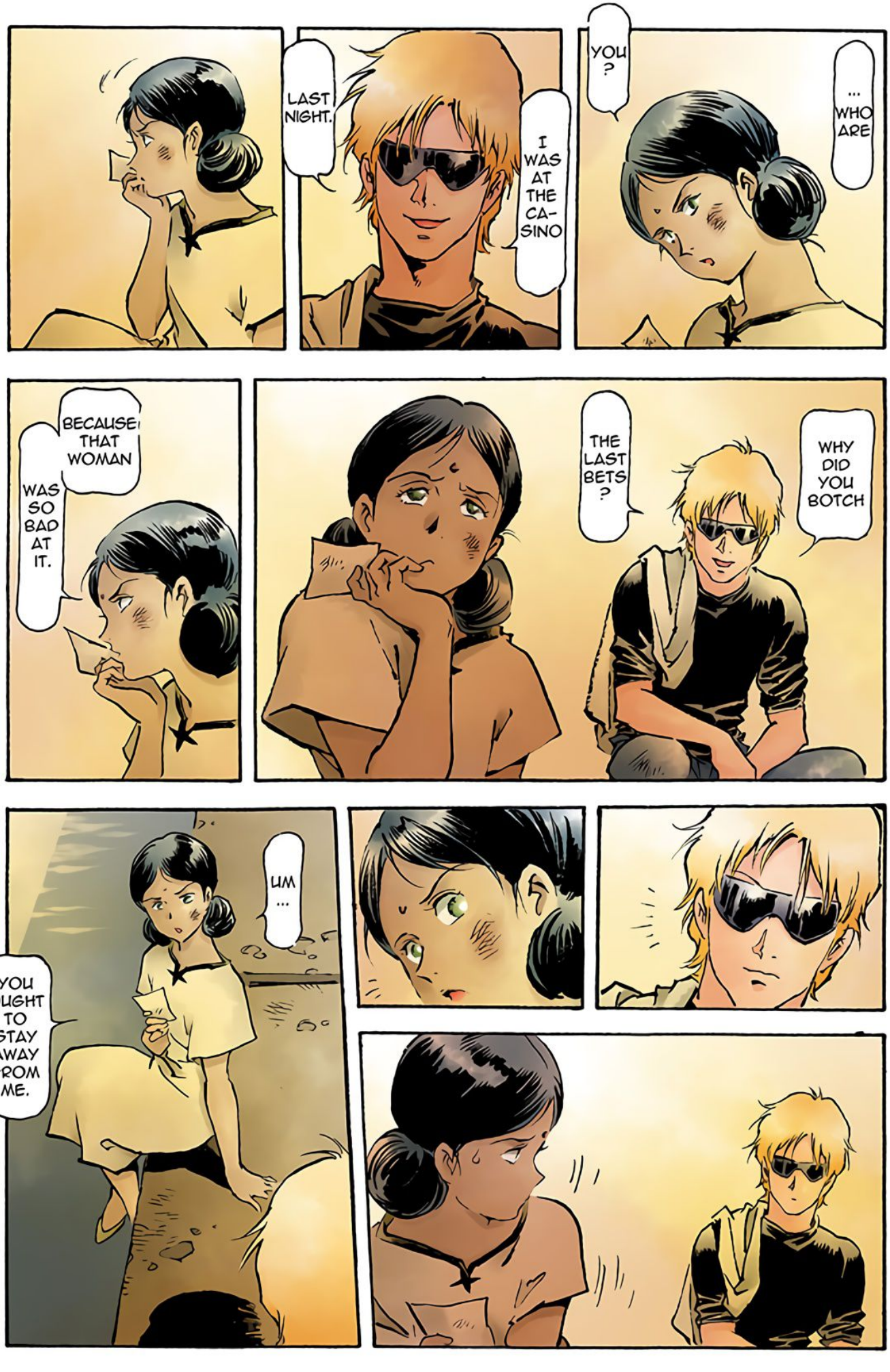
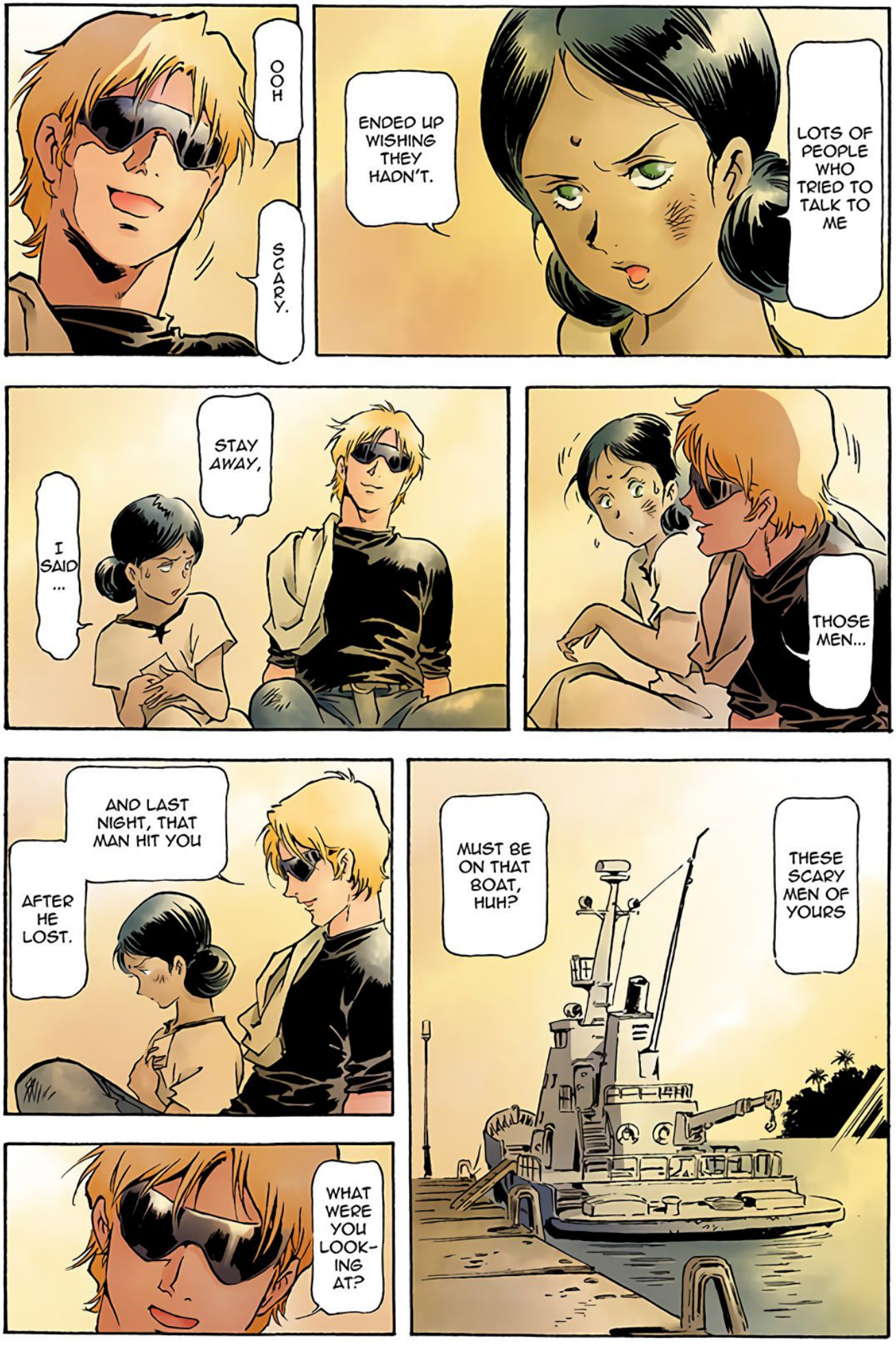
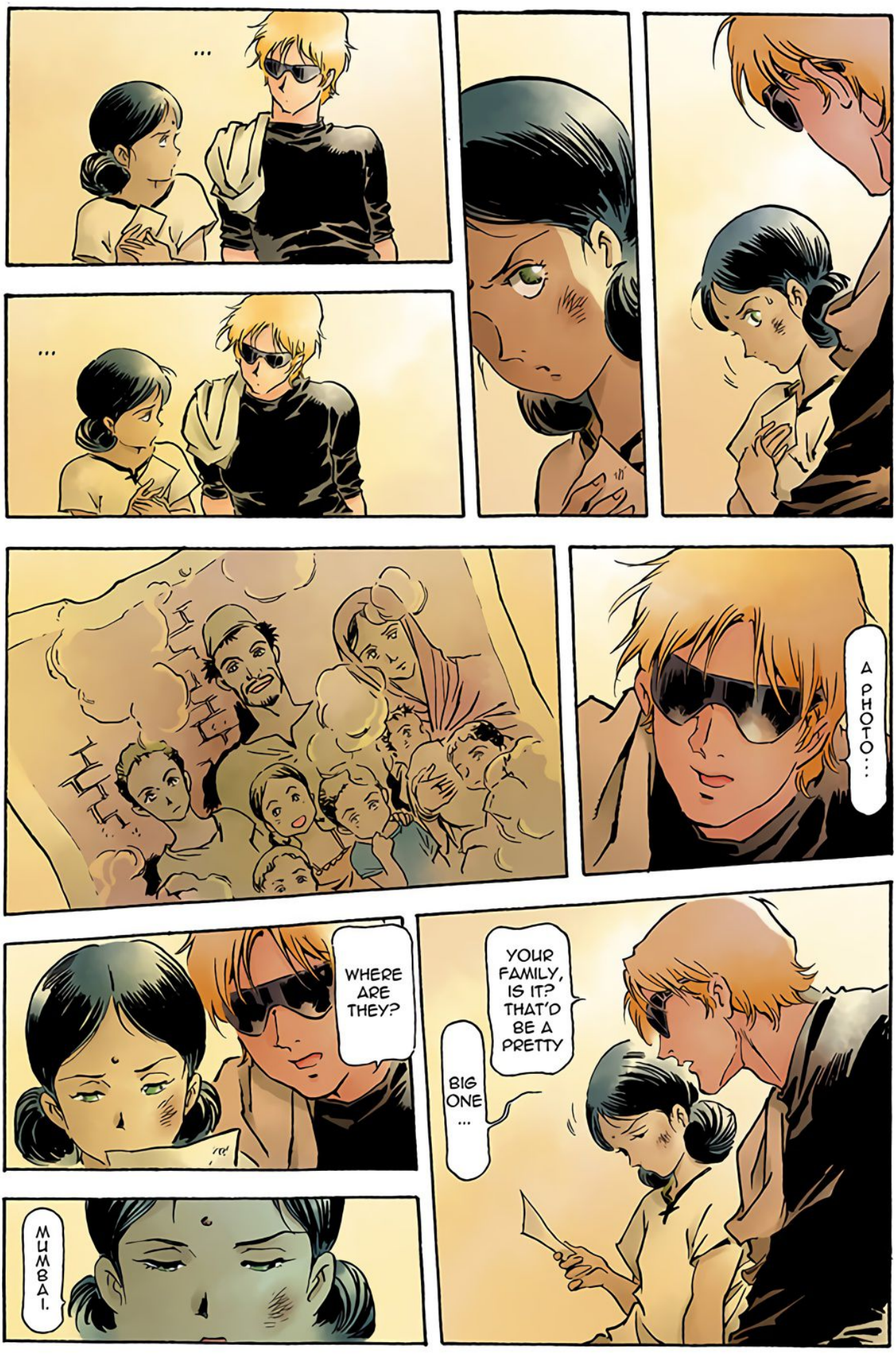
HEY.
WHAT
ARE YOU DOING HERE?
DID YOU GET SCOLDED YESTERDAY?


LAST NIGHT.
I WAS AT THE CA-SINO
YOU ?
... WHO ARE
BECAUSE THAT WOMAN WAS SO BAD AT IT.
THE LAST BETS ?
WHY DID YOU BOTCH
UM ...
YOU OUGHT TO STAY AWAY FROM ME.


OOH
SCARY.
ENDED UP WISHING THEY HADN'T.
LOTS OF PEOPLE WHO TRIED TO TALK TO ME
STAY AWAY,
I SAID ...
THOSE MEN...
AND LAST NIGHT, THAT MAN HIT YOU
AFTER HE LOST.
MUST BE ON THAT BOAT, HUH?
THESE SCARY MEN OF YOURS
WHAT WERE YOU LOOK-ING AT?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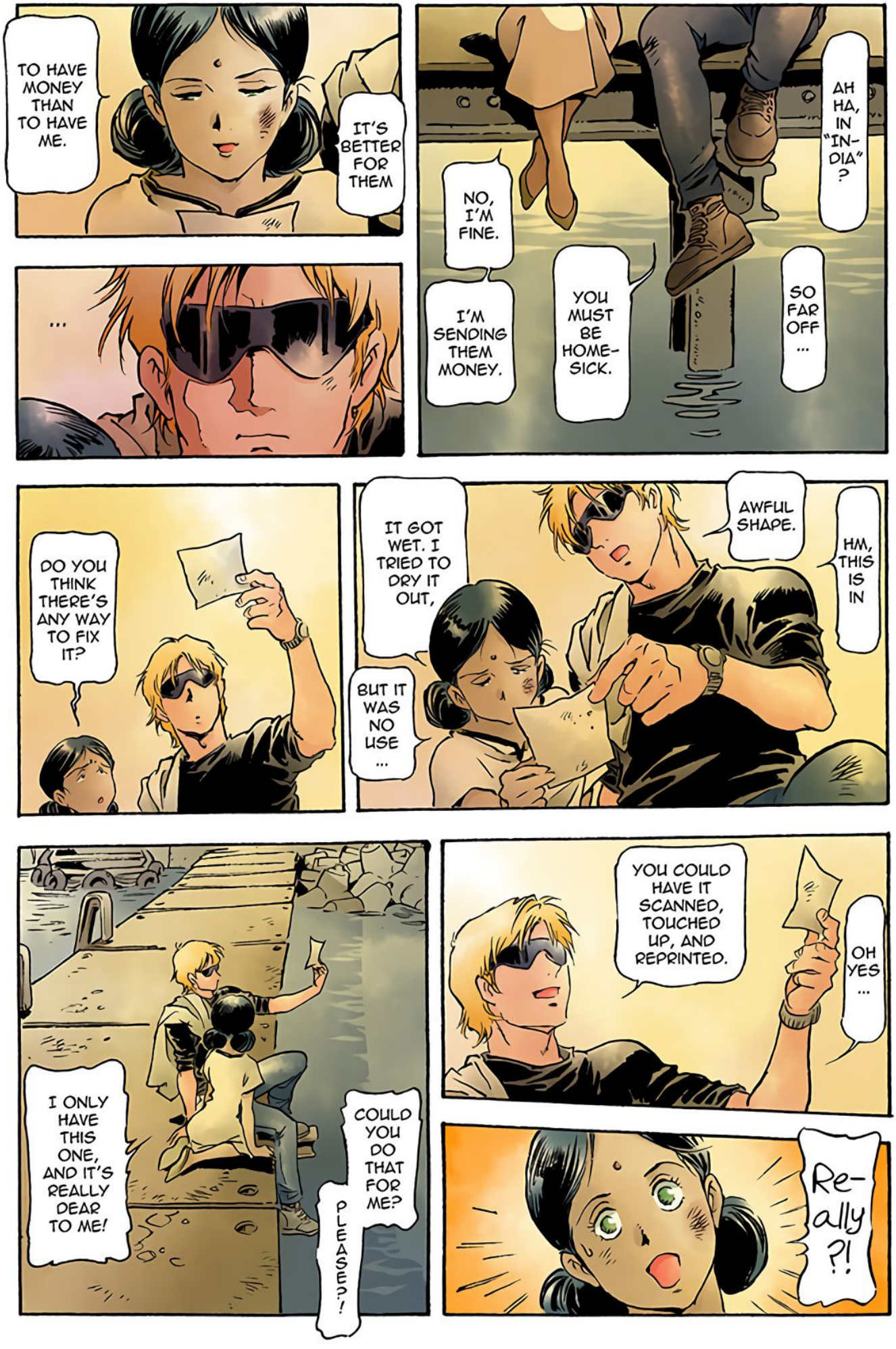
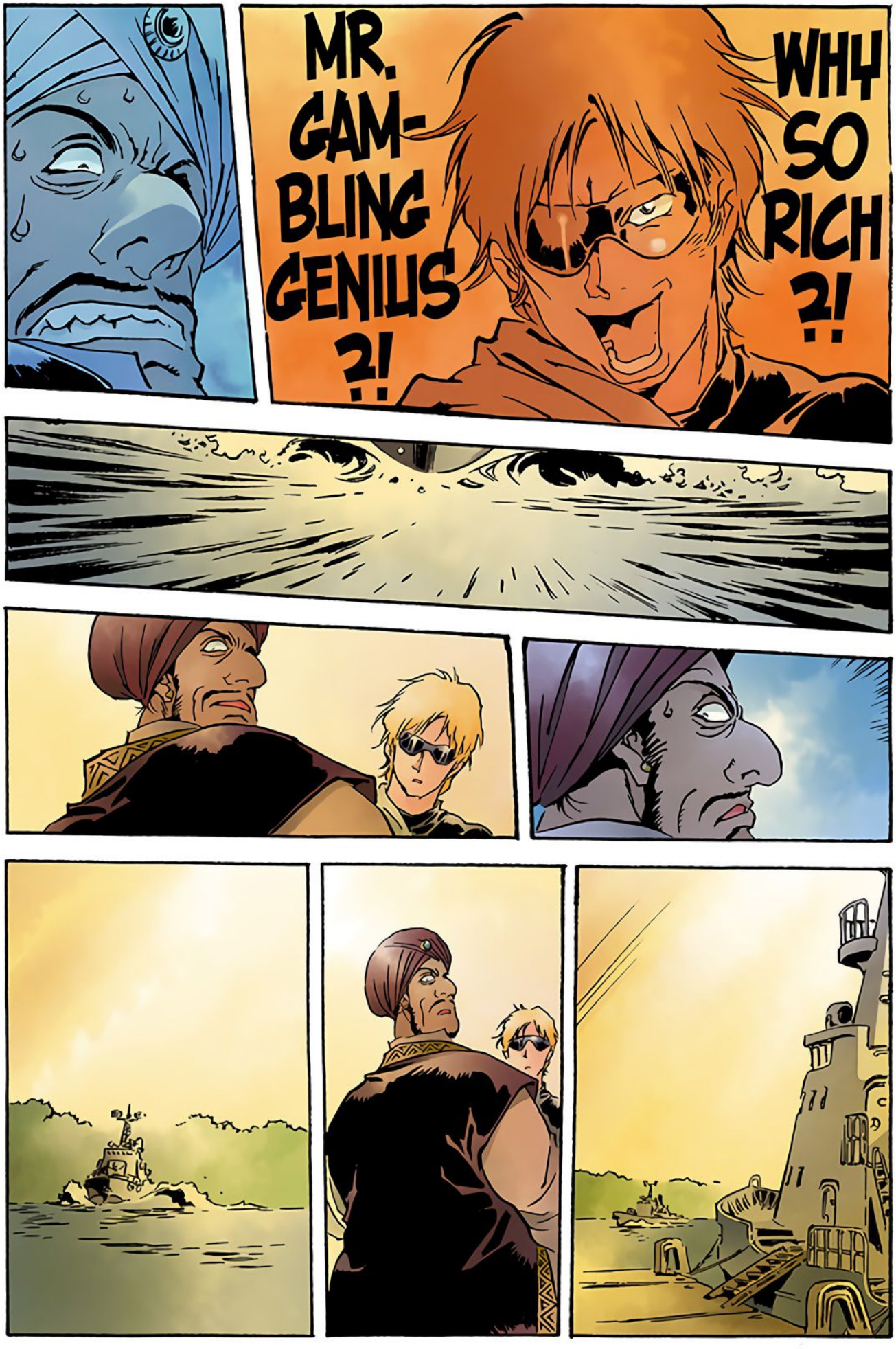
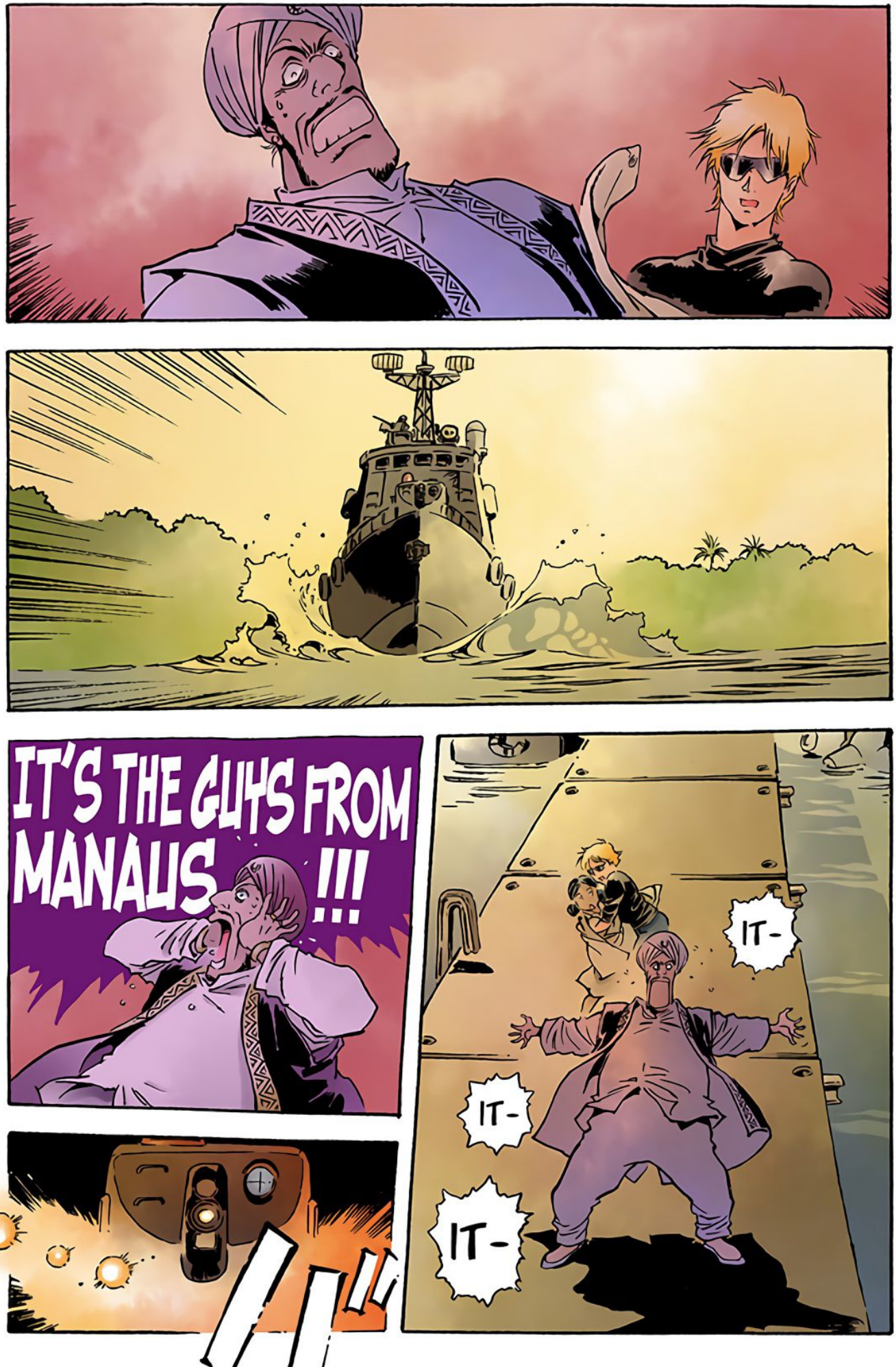
A PHOTO...
WHERE ARE THEY?
YOUR FAMILY, IS IT? THAT'D BE A PRETTY BIG ONE ...
MUMBAI.


AH HA, IN "IN-DIA"?
SO FAR OFF ...
YOU MUST BE HOME-SICK.
NO, I'M FINE.
I'M SENDING THEM MONEY.
IT'S BETTER FOR THEM
TO HAVE MONEY THAN TO HAVE ME.
...
HM, THIS IS IN
AWFUL SHAPE.
IT GOT WET. I TRIED TO DRY IT OUT,
BUT IT WAS NO USE ...
DO YOU THINK THERE'S ANY WAY TO FIX IT?
OH YES ...
YOU COULD HAVE IT SCANNED, TOUCHED UP, AND REPRINTED.
Re-ally?!
COULD YOU DO THAT FOR ME?
PLEASE?!
I ONLY HAVE THIS ONE, AND IT'S REALLY DEAR TO ME!

LALAAAH!!
A SUCH MAN?!
I FIND YOU WITH
AGAIN
AGAIN?!

?!
COME CHEAP!
IT COULD NOT HAVE
A NICE BOAT ...
THAT SURE IS


MR. GAM-BLING GENIUS ?!
WHY SO RICH ?!


IT'S THE GUYS FROM MANAUS !!!
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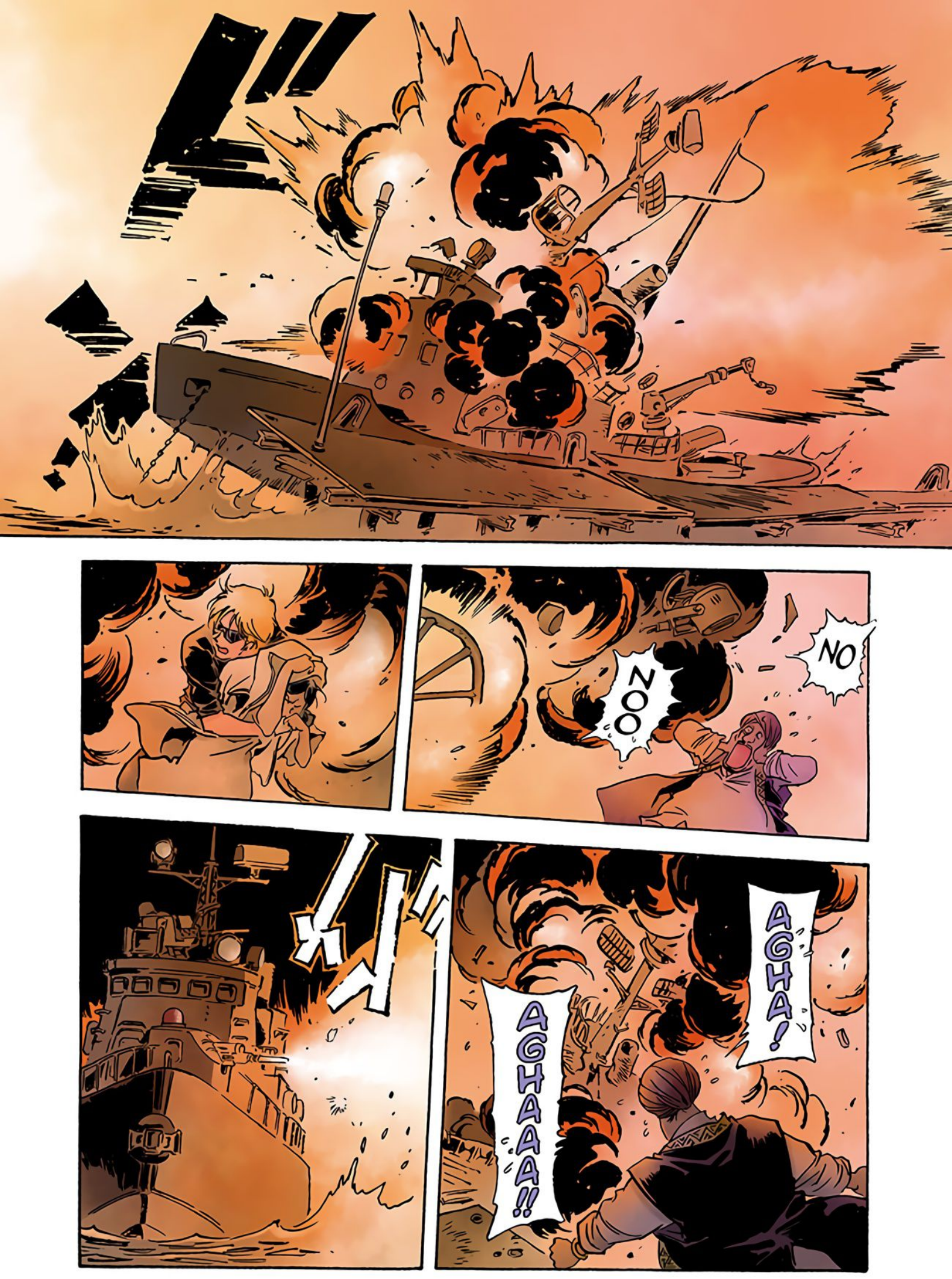
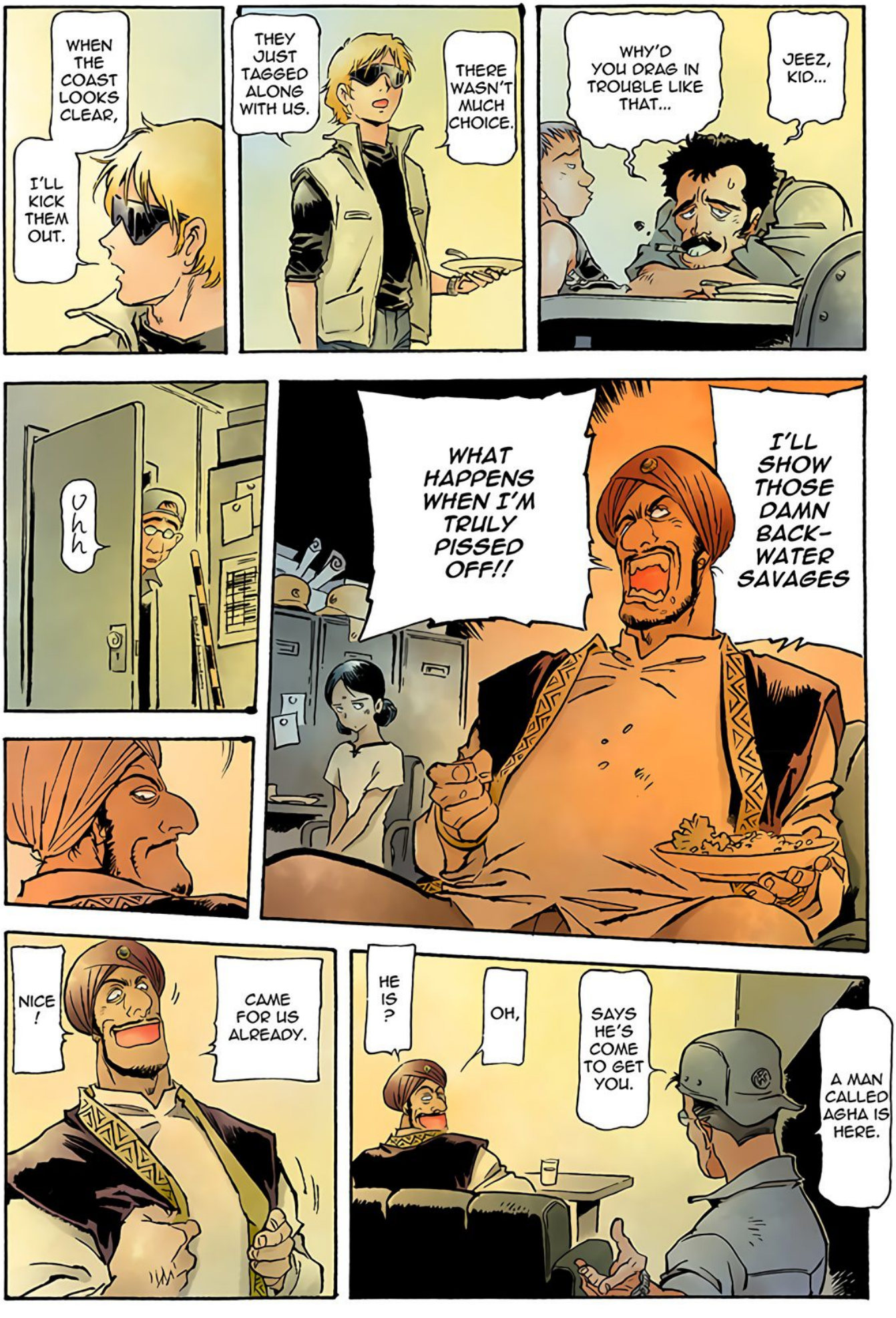

NO
NOO
AGHA!
AGHAAA!!

BOSS, GET IN THE CAR!
WE HAVE TO GO!
COFFEE &
24 in STORE
Eee eek
Aa gh !

THIS ISN'T OVER.
JUST WAIT!
THE LIKES OF MANAUS MOB-STERS
WON'T GET THE BEST OF ME!


WHEN THE COAST LOOKS CLEAR,
I'LL KICK THEM OUT.
THEY JUST TAGGED ALONG WITH US.
THERE WASN'T MUCH CHOICE.
WHY'D YOU DRAG IN TROUBLE LIKE THAT...
JEEZ, KID...
UHH
WHAT HAPPENS WHEN I'M TRULY PISSED OFF!!
I'LL SHOW THOSE DAMN BACK-WATER SAVAGES
NICE !
CAME FOR US ALREADY.
HE IS ?
OH,
SAYS HE'S COME TO GET YOU.
A MAN CALLED AGHA IS HERE.

AGHA!
GOOD TO SEE YOU IN ONE PIECE!

I...
MASTER.

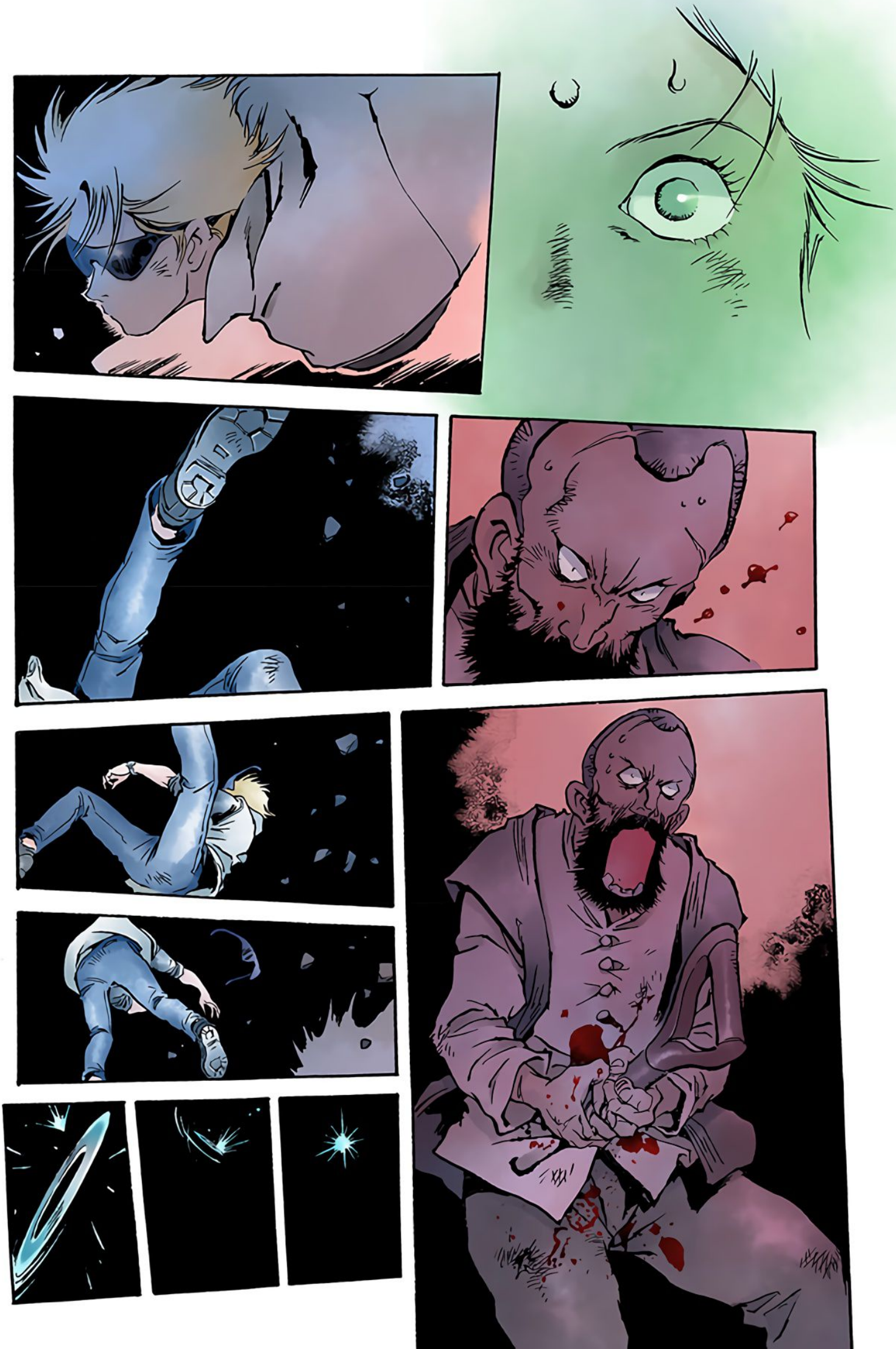
WHAT?!
I'M GOING TO JOIN THEM.
THEY'LL PAY ME BETTER, AND BESIDES, THEY'RE STRONG ...
YOU INGRATE!!
YOU'VE GOT A LOT OF BALLS SAYING THAT!
IF IT WASN'T FOR ME YOU'D STILL BE ROTTING IN THE BOONDOCKS!
NO DON'T!!
SORRY, I'LL PAY YOU MORE ...

WAIT!!
WHAT?
YOU, TOO?
WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO LOSE?
HEAD?
ARMS?
Gush
Gush
NEITHER.
ACTU-ALLY.
STOP THIS!!

THINK YOU'LL HIDE IN THE SHAD-OWS?!
I SEE YOU!!

TSK

NONE CAN DODGE IT!
SHEER LUCK!



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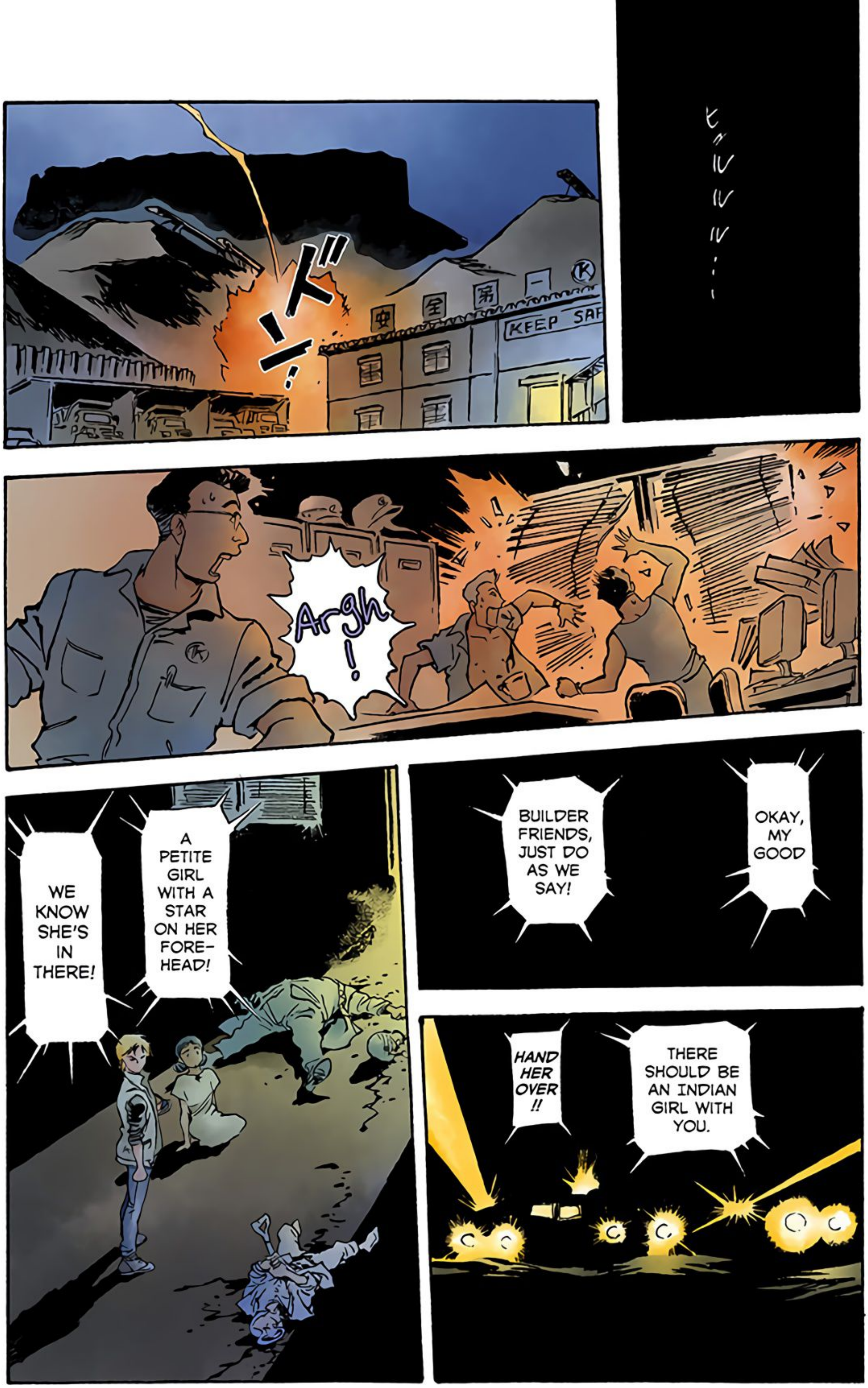
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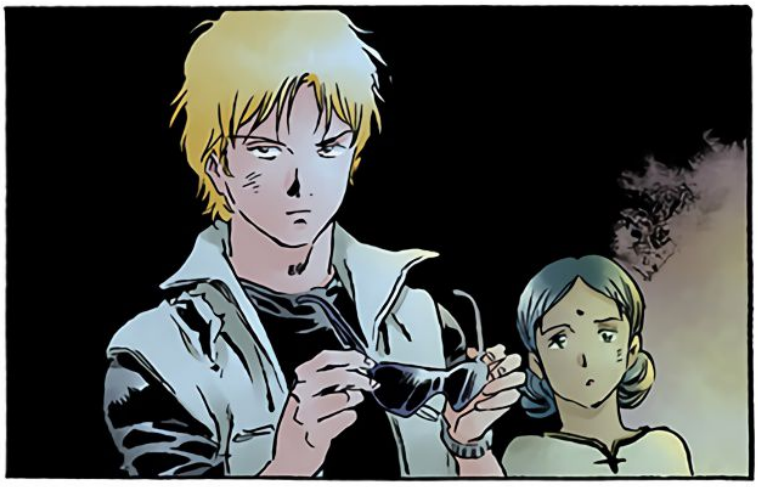
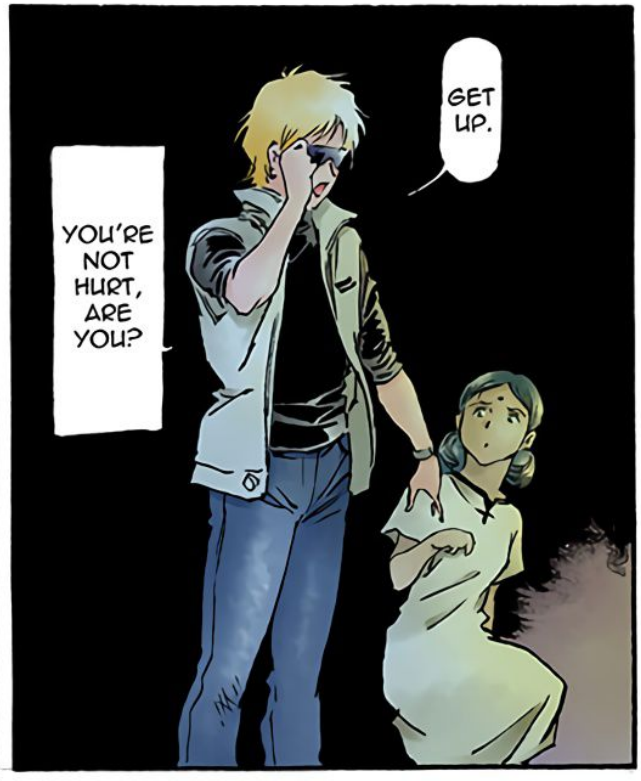
安全第一
KEEP SAF
ドン
Argh!
OKAY, MY GOOD
BUILDER FRIENDS, JUST DO AS WE SAY!
THERE SHOULD BE AN INDIAN GIRL WITH YOU.
HAND HER OVER!!
A PETITE GIRL WITH A STAR ON HER FOREHEAD!
WE KNOW SHE'S IN THERE!

WE HAVE YOU SURROUNDED!
DON'T TRY ANYTHING FUNNY!



WHAT NOW?
BOSS —
JUST HAND OVER THE GIRL!

DON'T FALL BEHIND.
WE'RE GOING TO RUN FOR IT.


GET UP.
YOU'RE NOT HURT, ARE YOU?

THREE MINUTES!
WE'LL GIVE YOU

DON'T MAKE US!
SO
WE DON'T WANT TO DO THIS THE HARD WAY.
YOU JABURO WORKERS ARE IMPORTANT CLIENTS OF OURS!
WE DON'T WANT A SPAT!

YOU JUST HAND OVER A CHICK!
NO BIG DEAL, RIGHT?
SO LET'S ALL JUST GET ALONG!
WE'LL TAKE GOOD CARE OF HER AT OUR ESTAB-LISHMENT!
WE'RE NOT GONNA EAT HER OR ANYTHING, EITHER!
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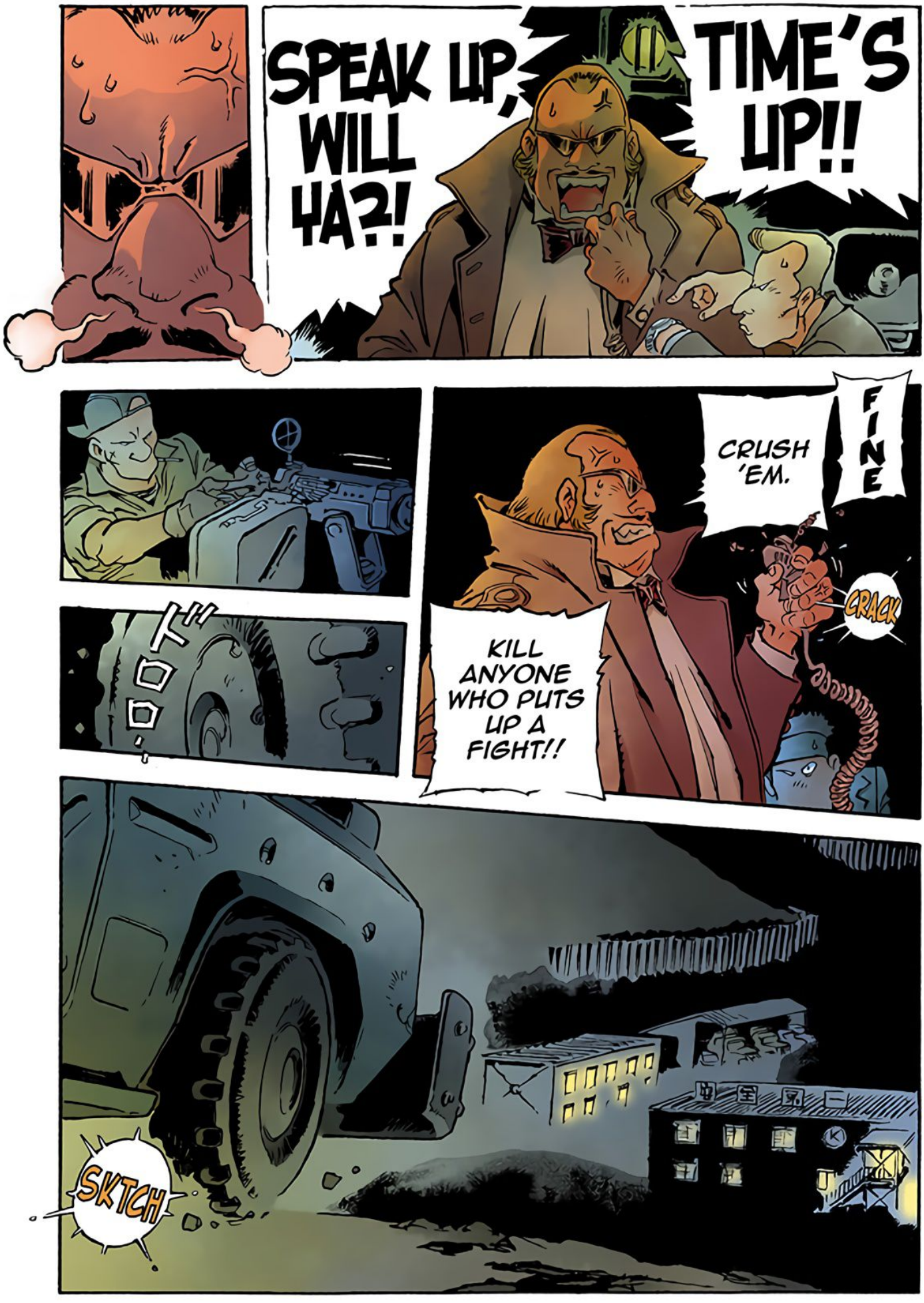
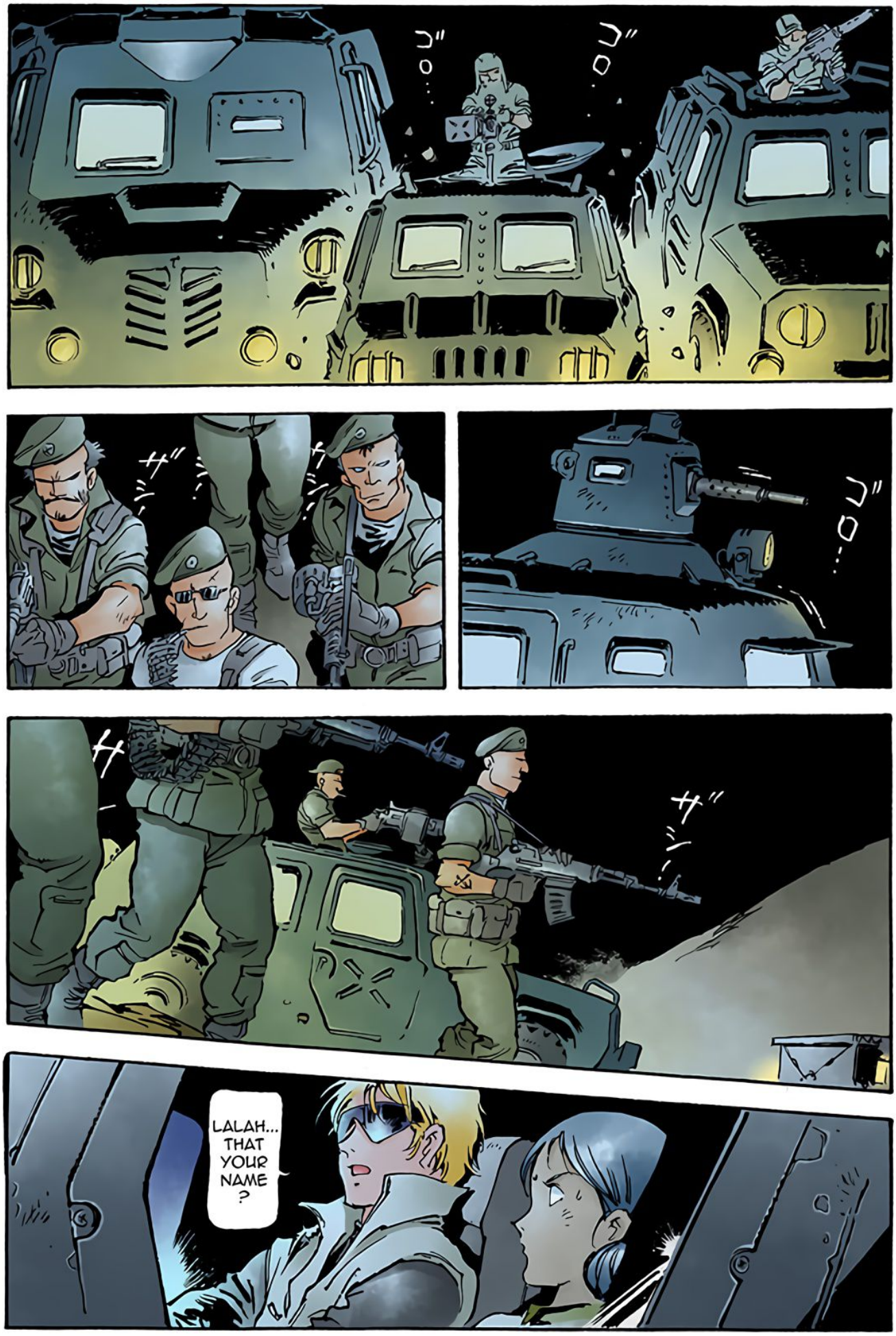
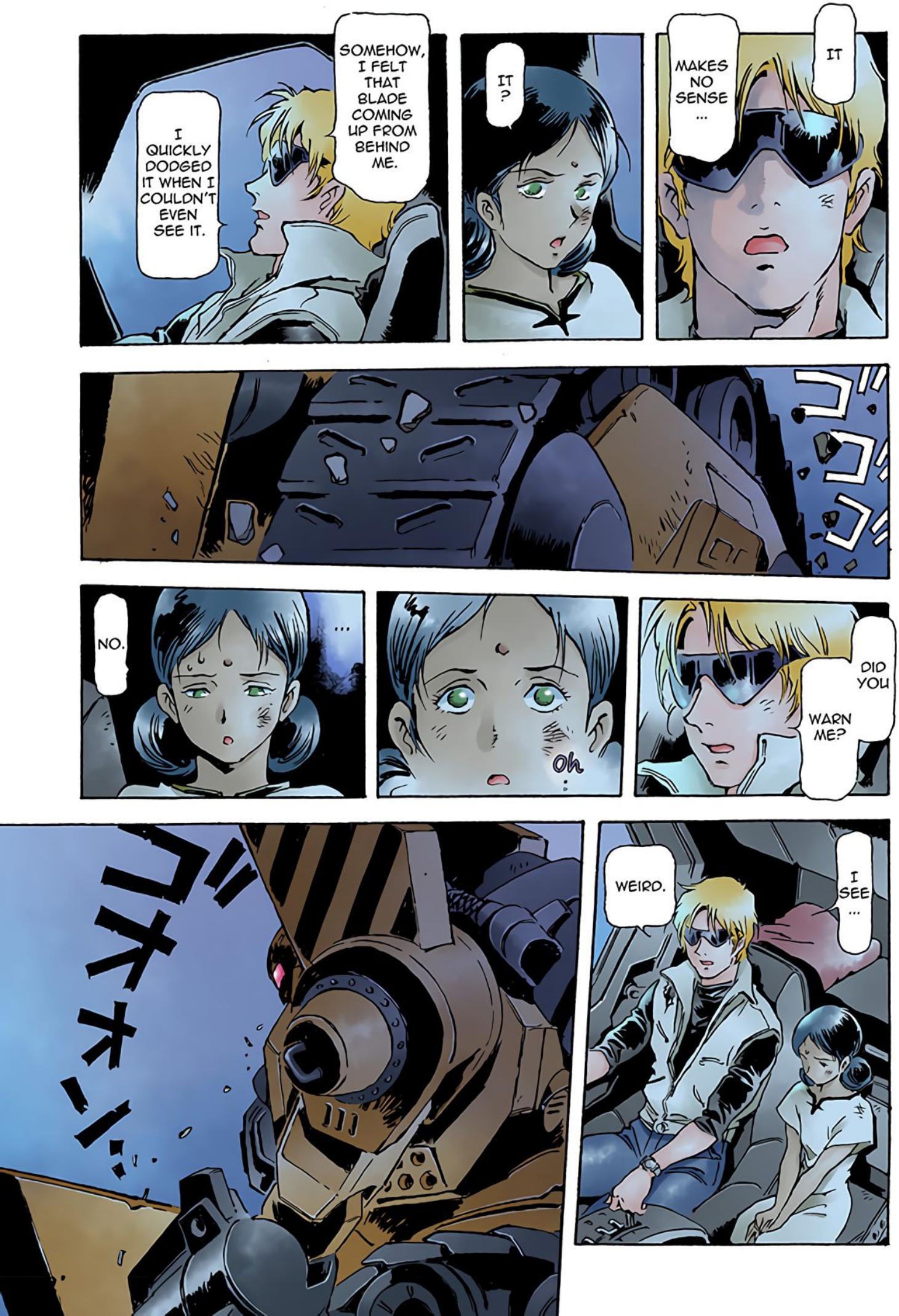

SPEAK UP, WILL YA?!
TIME'S UP!!
FINE
CRUSH 'EM.
CRACK
KILL ANYONE WHO PUTS UP A FIGHT!!
SKTCH


LALAH... THAT YOUR NAME ?


IT
MAKES NO SENSE ...
IT ?
SOMEHOW, I FELT THAT BLADE COMING UP FROM BEHIND ME.
I QUICKLY DODGED IT WHEN I COULDN'T EVEN SEE IT.
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DID YOU WARN ME?
Oh
NO. ...
I SEE ...
WEIRD.
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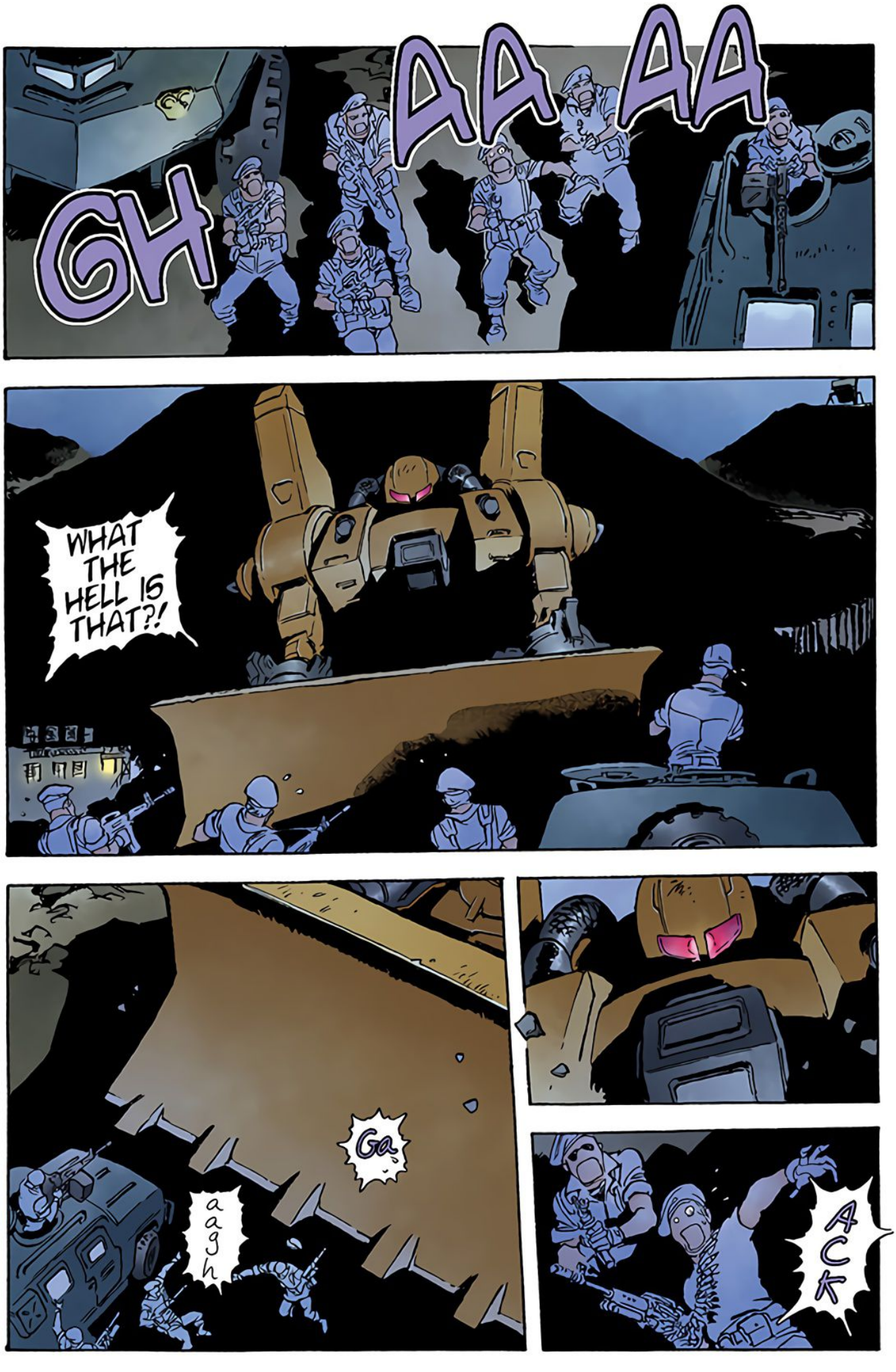
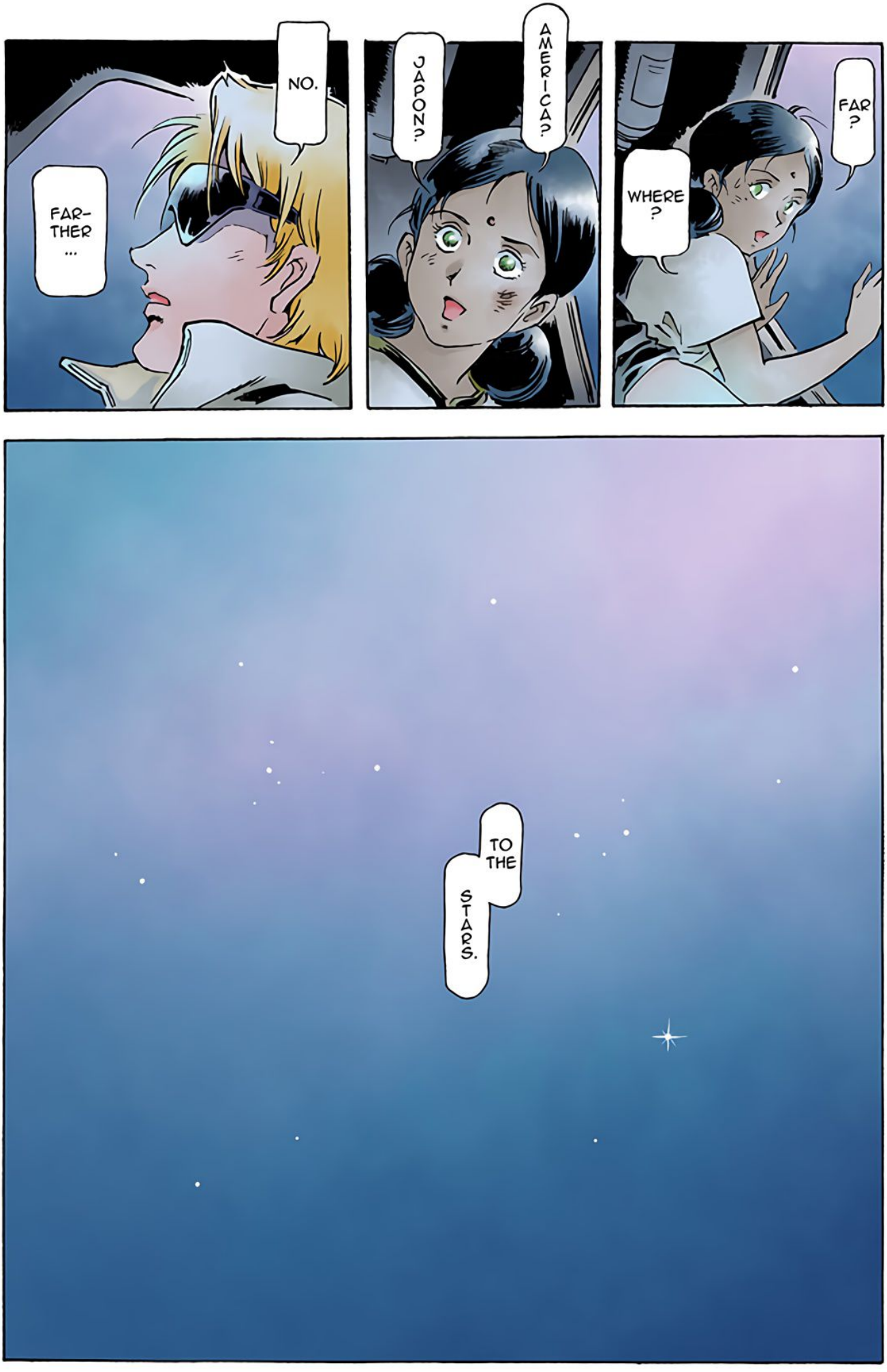
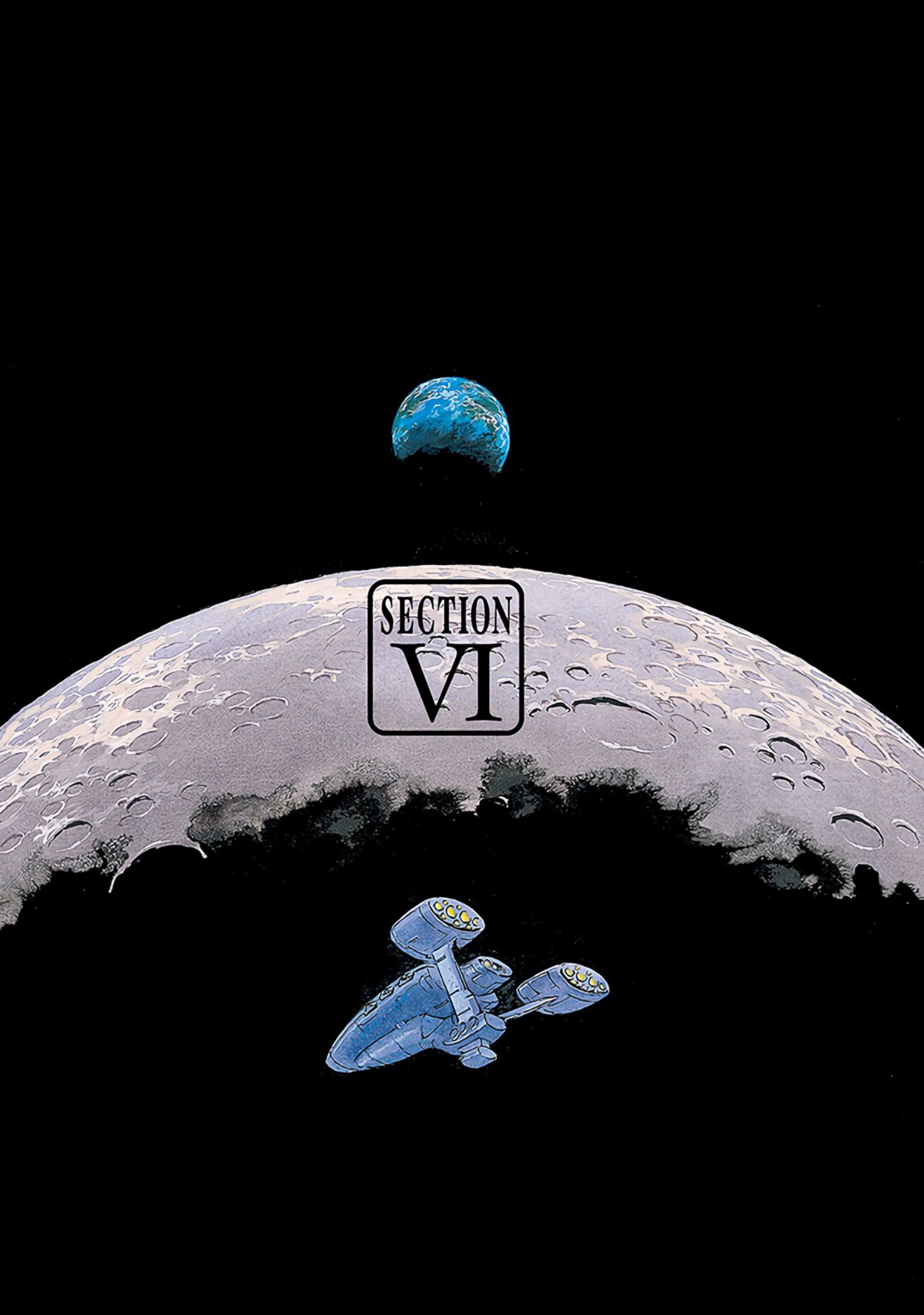

GH
AA AA
WHAT THE HELL IS THAT?!
Ga
aagh
ACK

AAAGH..
LALAH,
IF YOU
REALLY DON'T WANT TO GO HOME...
SORRY ABOUT THIS, BOSS!
I'LL RETURN IT BEFORE THE LEASE IS UP!
...
HAH
SMASH
Crush
CARE TO GO SOME PLACE FAR AWAY?


FAR?
WHERE?
AMERICA?
JAPON?
NO.
FAR-THER...
TO THE STARS.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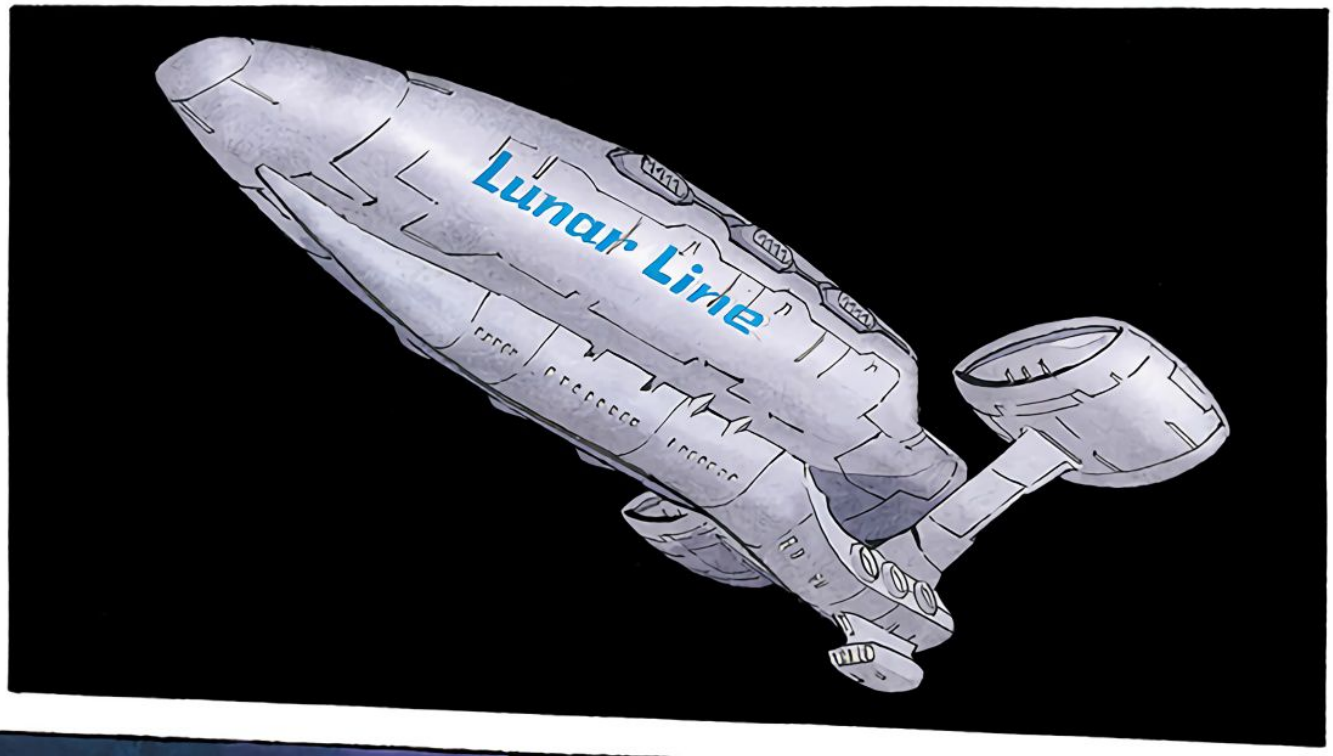
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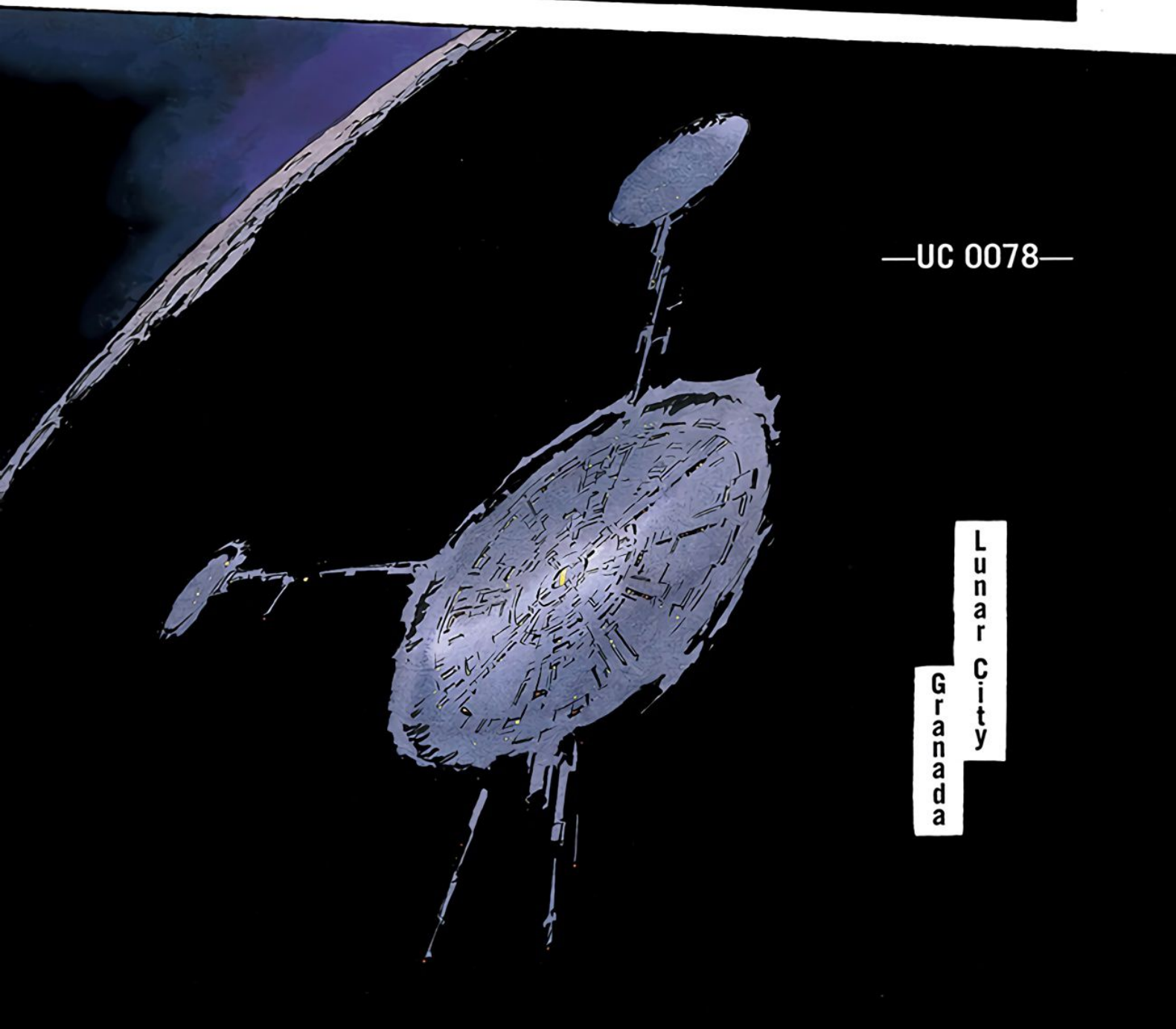
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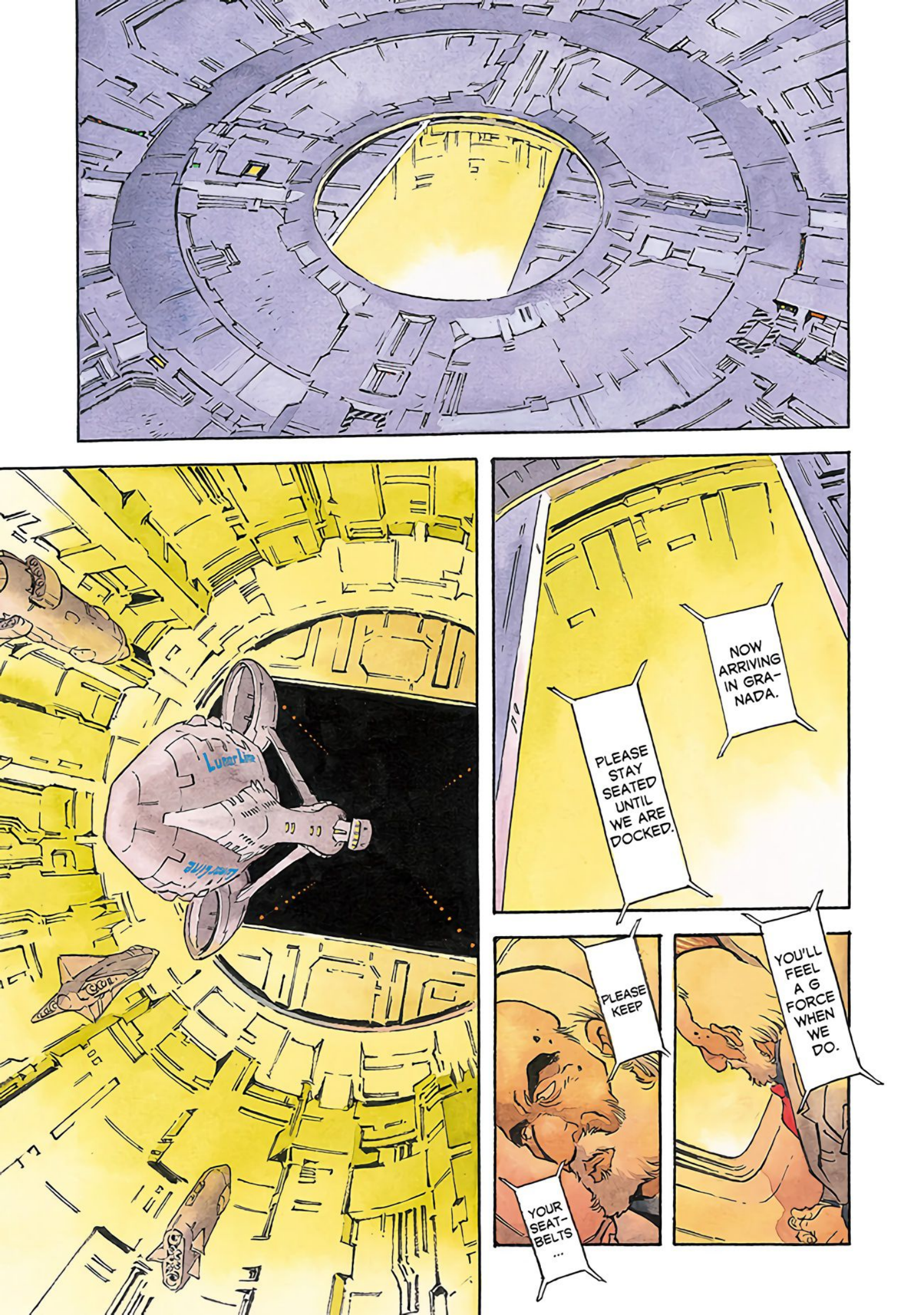
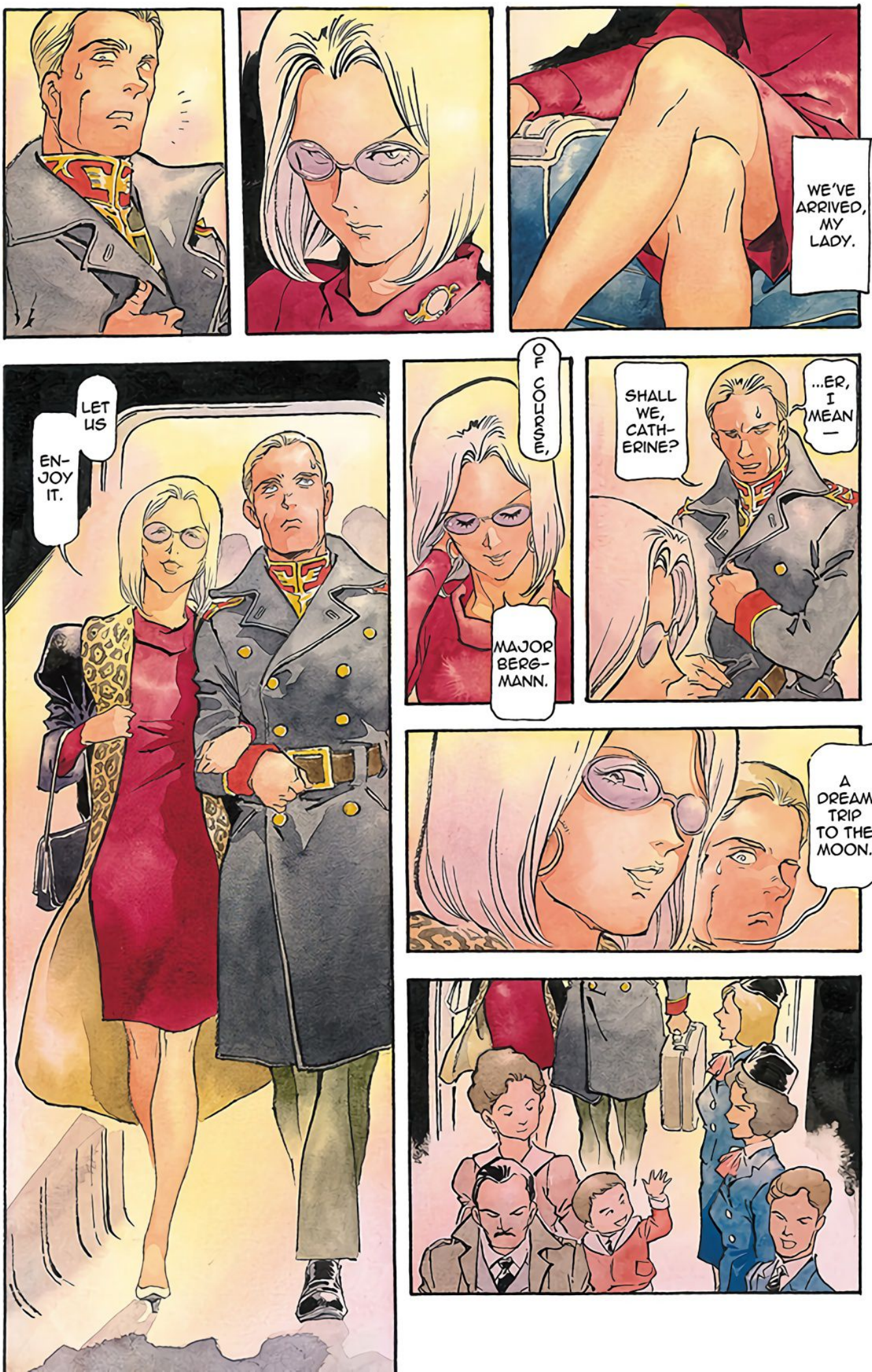
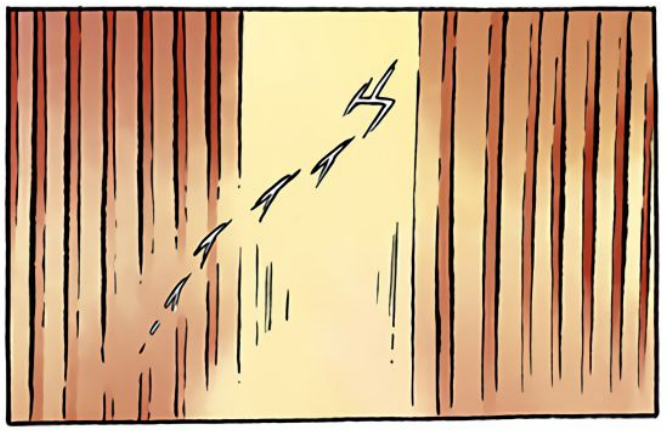
Lunar City
Granada

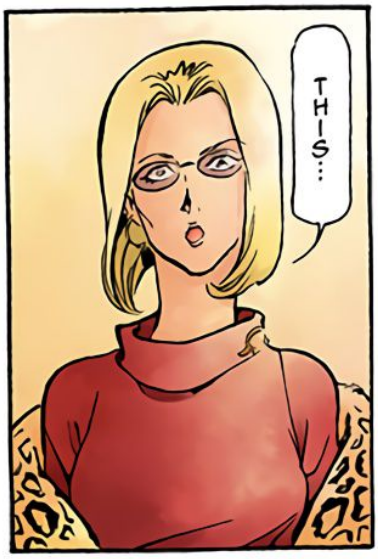

NOW ARRIVING IN GRA-NADA.
PLEASE STAY SEATED UNTIL WE ARE Ddocked.
PLEASE KEEP
YOUR SEAT-BELTS ...
YOU'LL FEEL A G FORCE WHEN WE DO.


WE'VE ARRIVED, MY LADY.
OF COURSE, MAJOR BERG-MANN.
...ER, I MEAN —
SHALL WE, CATH-ERINE?
LET US EN-JOY IT.
A DREAM TRIP TO THE MOON.



GRAND PARK HOTEL

THE VIEW FROM VON BRAUN.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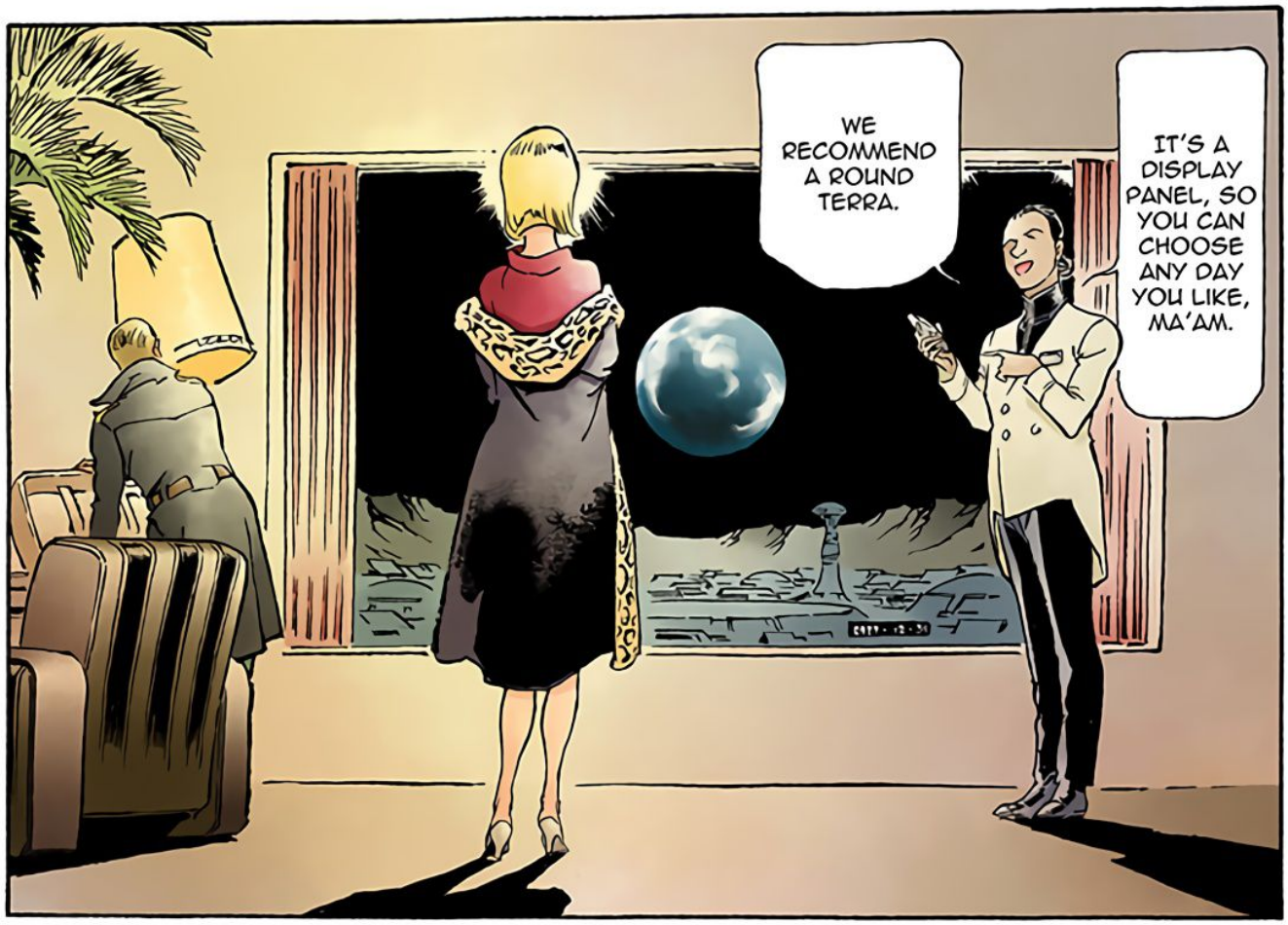
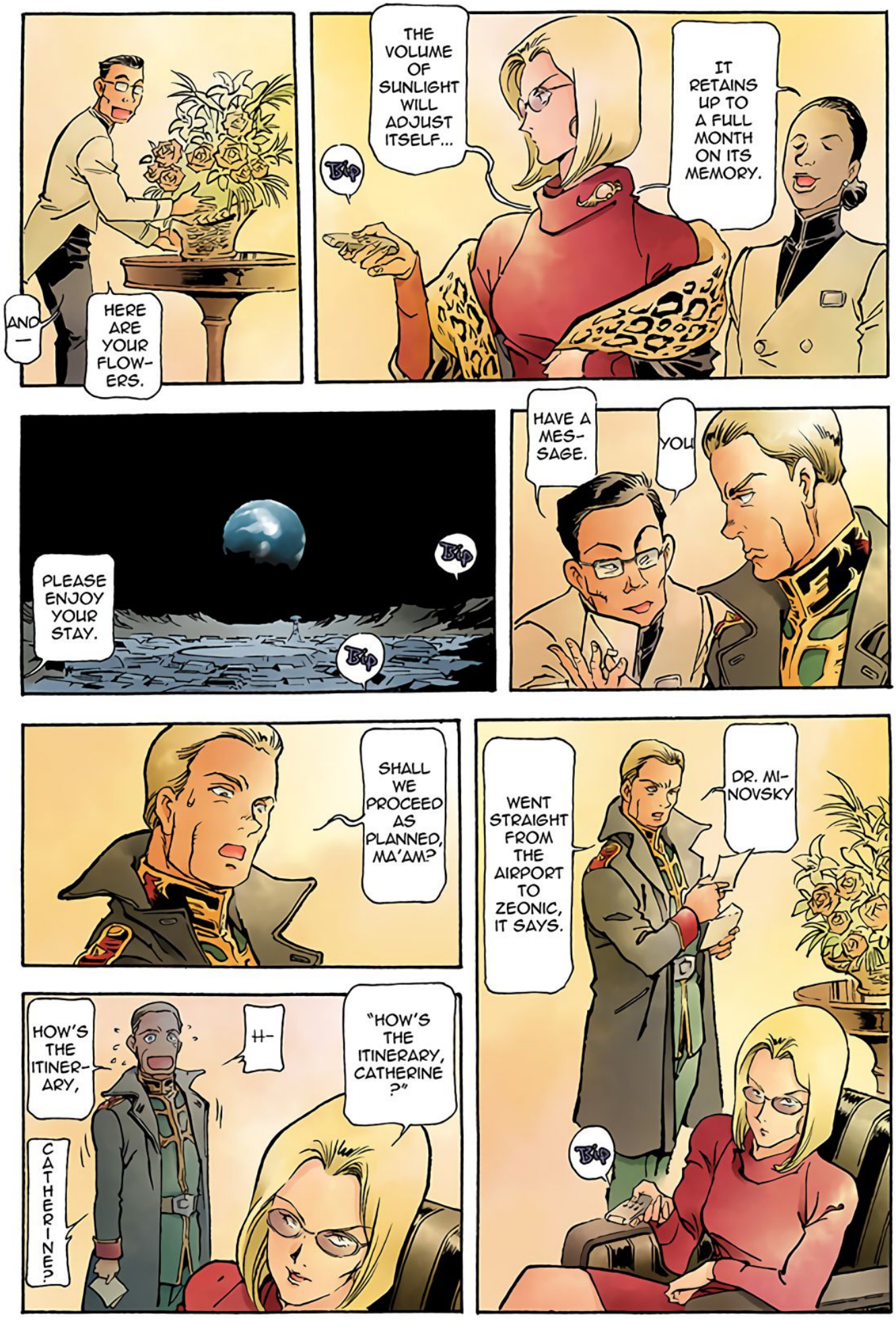
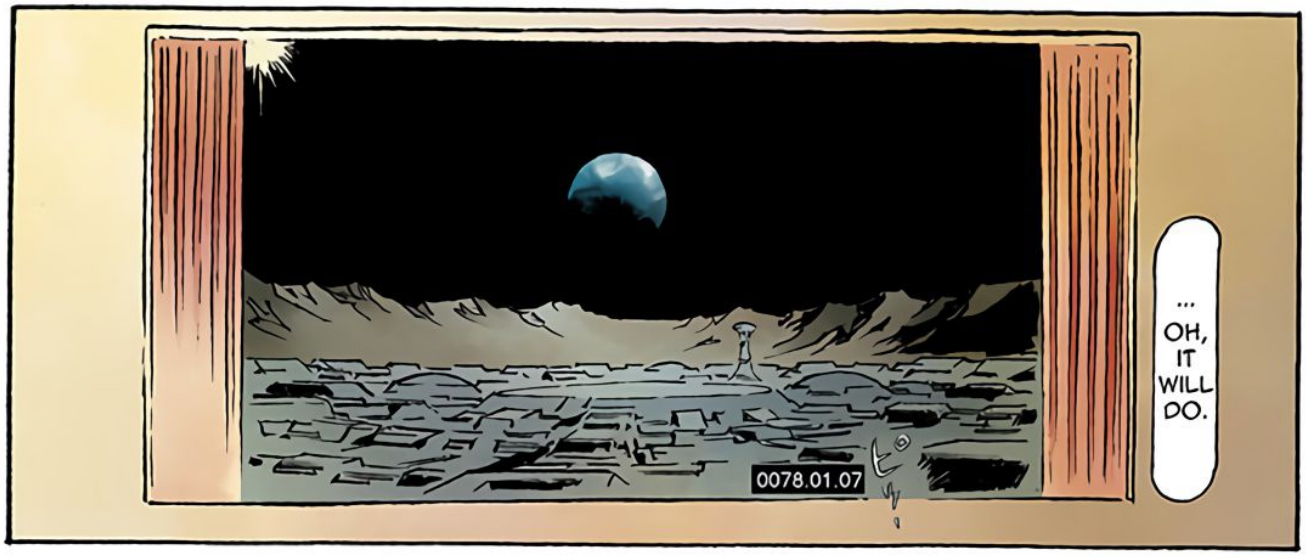

WE RECOMMEND A ROUND TERRA.
IT'S A DISPLAY PANEL, SO YOU CAN CHOOSE ANY DAY YOU LIKE, MA'AM.


AND—
HERE ARE YOUR FLOWERS.
THE VOLUME OF SUNLIGHT WILL ADJUST ITSELF...
BIP
IT RETAINS UP TO A FULL MONTH ON ITS MEMORY.
PLEASE ENJOY YOUR STAY.
BIP
BIP
HAVE A MESSAGE.
YOU
SHALL WE PROCEED AS PLANNED, MA'AM?
DR. MINOVSKY
WENT STRAIGHT FROM THE AIRPORT TO ZEONIC, IT SAYS.
BIP
"HOW'S THE ITINERARY, CATHERINE?"
H-
HOW'S THE ITINERARY,
CATHERINE?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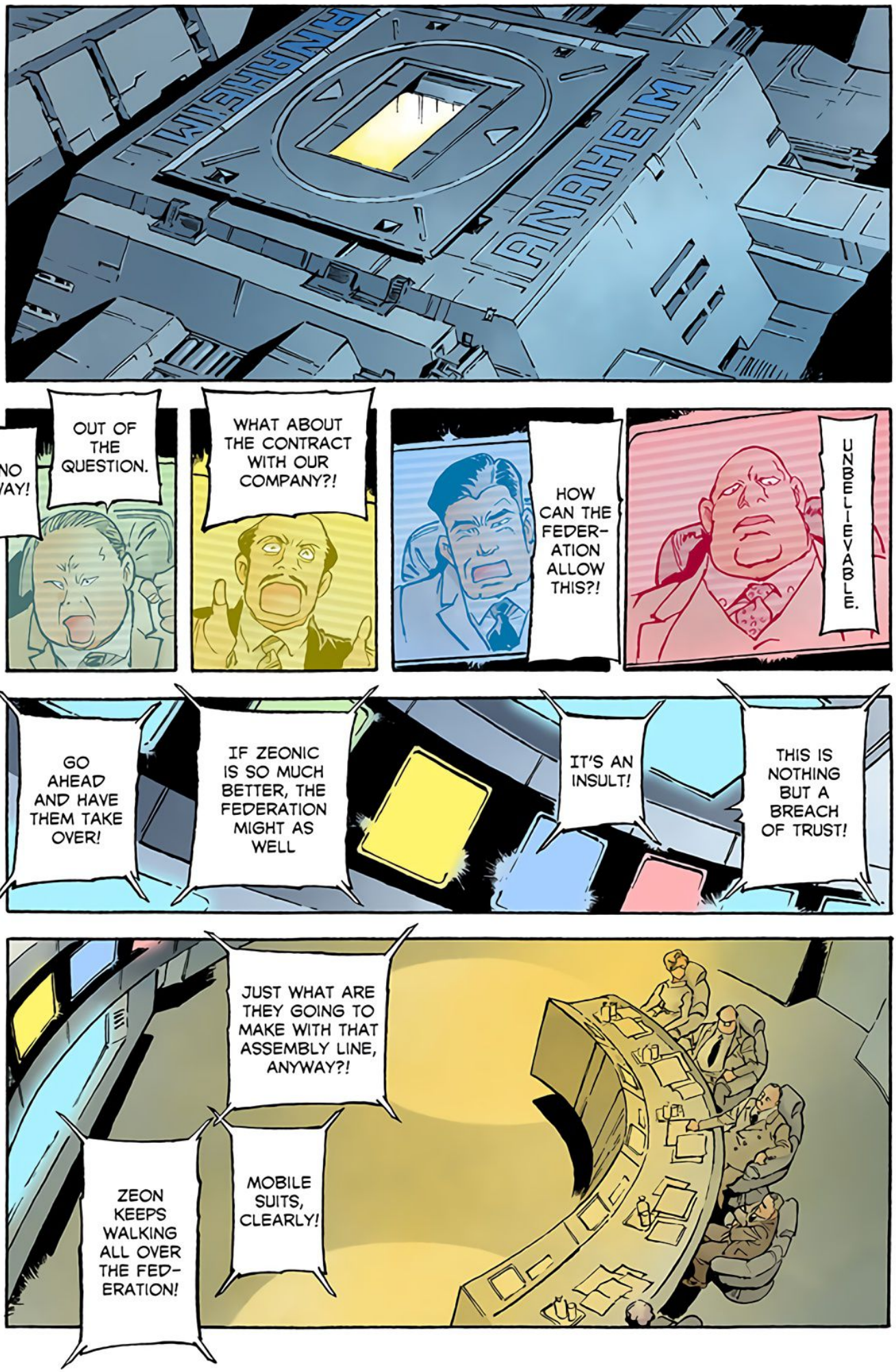
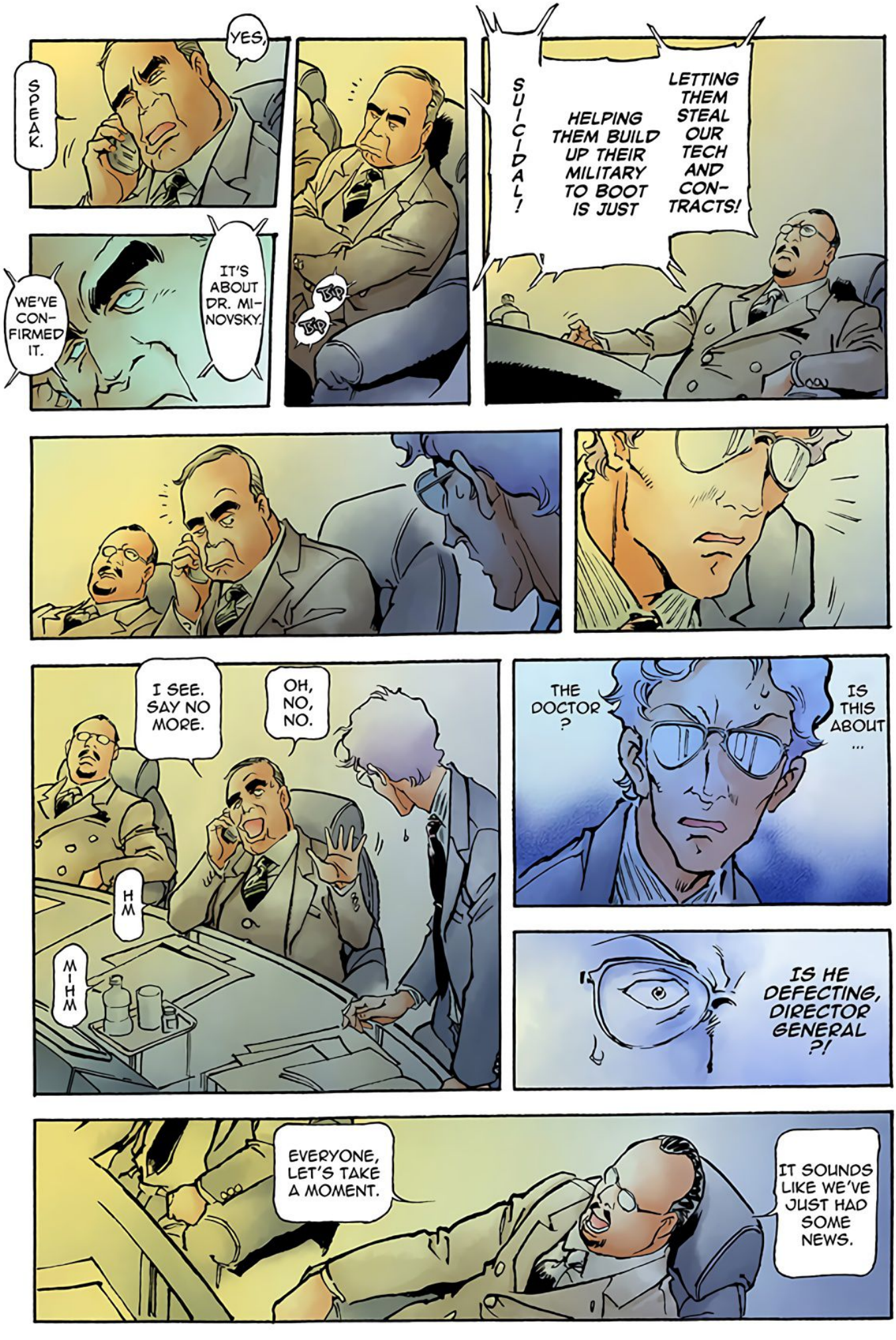
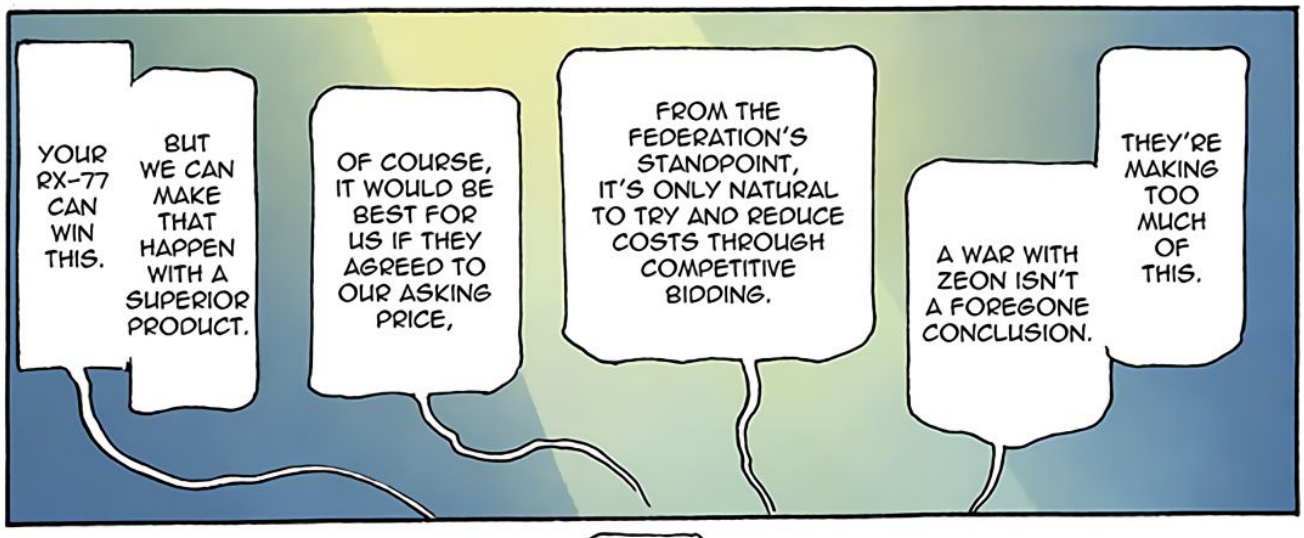
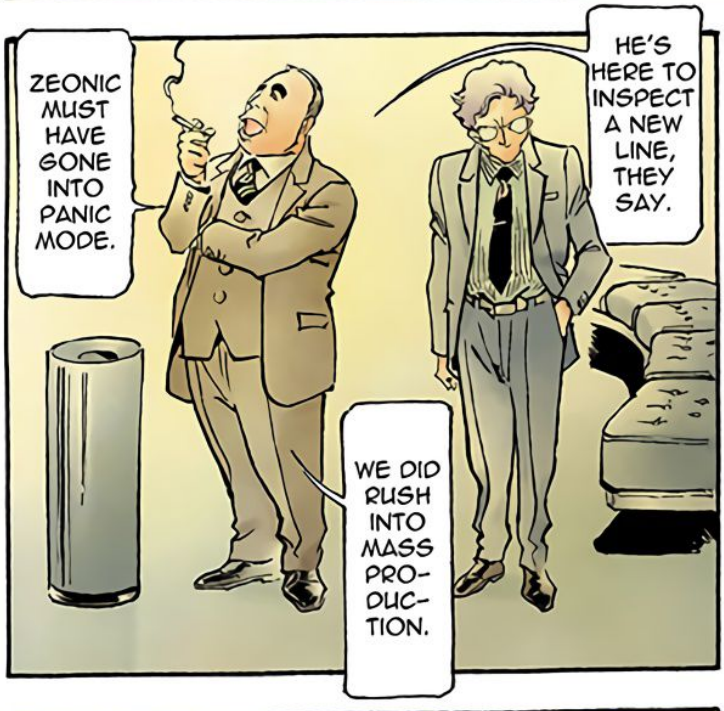
... OH, IT WILL DO.

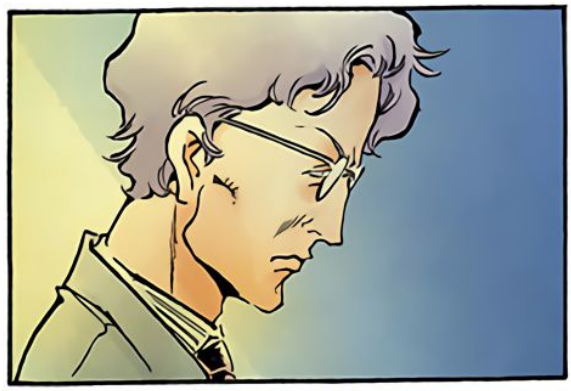
Von Braun


ANAHEIM
ANAHEIM
NO WAY!
OUT OF THE QUESTION.
WHAT ABOUT THE CONTRACT WITH OUR COMPANY?!
HOW CAN THE FEDER-ATION ALLOW THIS?!
UNBELIEVABLE.
GO AHEAD AND HAVE THEM TAKE OVER!
IF ZEONIC IS SO MUCH BETTER, THE FEDERATION MIGHT AS WELL
IT'S AN INSULT!
THIS IS NOTHING BUT A BREACH OF TRUST!
JUST WHAT ARE THEY GOING TO MAKE WITH THAT ASSEMBLY LINE, ANYWAY?!
MOBILE SUITS, CLEARLY!
ZEON KEEPS WALKING ALL OVER THE FED-ERATION!

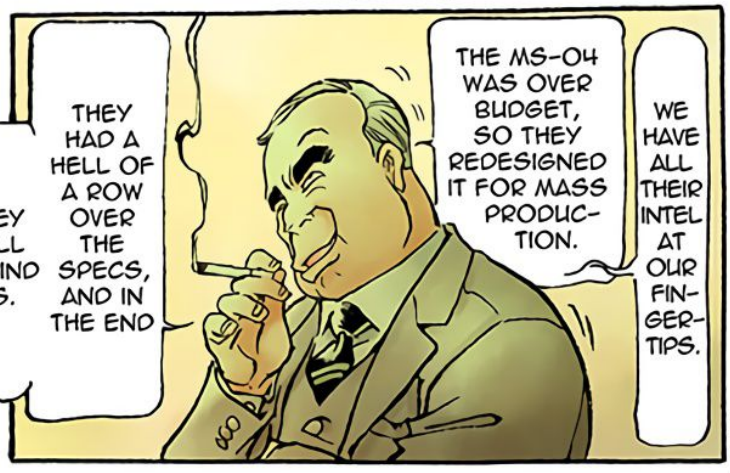

YES,
SPEAK.
IT'S ABOUT DR. MINOVSKY.
WE'VE CONFIRMED IT.
TAP
TAP
SUICIDAL!
HELPING THEM BUILD UP THEIR MILITARY TO BOOT IS JUST
LETTING THEM STEAL OUR TECH AND CONTRACTS!
I SEE. SAY NO MORE.
OH, NO, NO.
HM
MIHM
THE DOCTOR?
IS THIS ABOUT...
IS HE DEFECTING, DIRECTOR GENERAL?!
EVERYONE, LET'S TAKE A MOMENT.
IT SOUNDS LIKE WE'VE JUST HAD SOME NEWS.


THEY'RE MAKING TOO MUCH OF THIS.
A WAR WITH ZEON ISN'T A FOREGONE CONCLUSION.
FROM THE FEDERATION'S STANDPOINT, IT'S ONLY NATURAL TO TRY AND REDUCE COSTS THROUGH COMPETITIVE BIDDING.
OF COURSE, IT WOULD BE BEST FOR US IF THEY AGREED TO OUR ASKING PRICE,
BUT WE CAN MAKE THAT HAPPEN WITH A SUPERIOR PRODUCT.
YOUR RX-77 CAN WIN THIS.


HE'S HERE TO INSPECT A NEW LINE, THEY SAY.
ZEONIC MUST HAVE GONE INTO PANIC MODE.
WE DID RUSH INTO MASS PRO-DUC-TION.

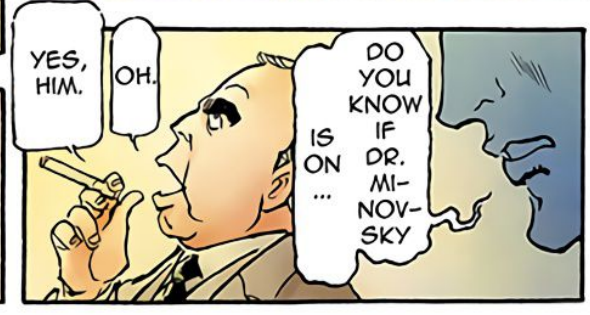


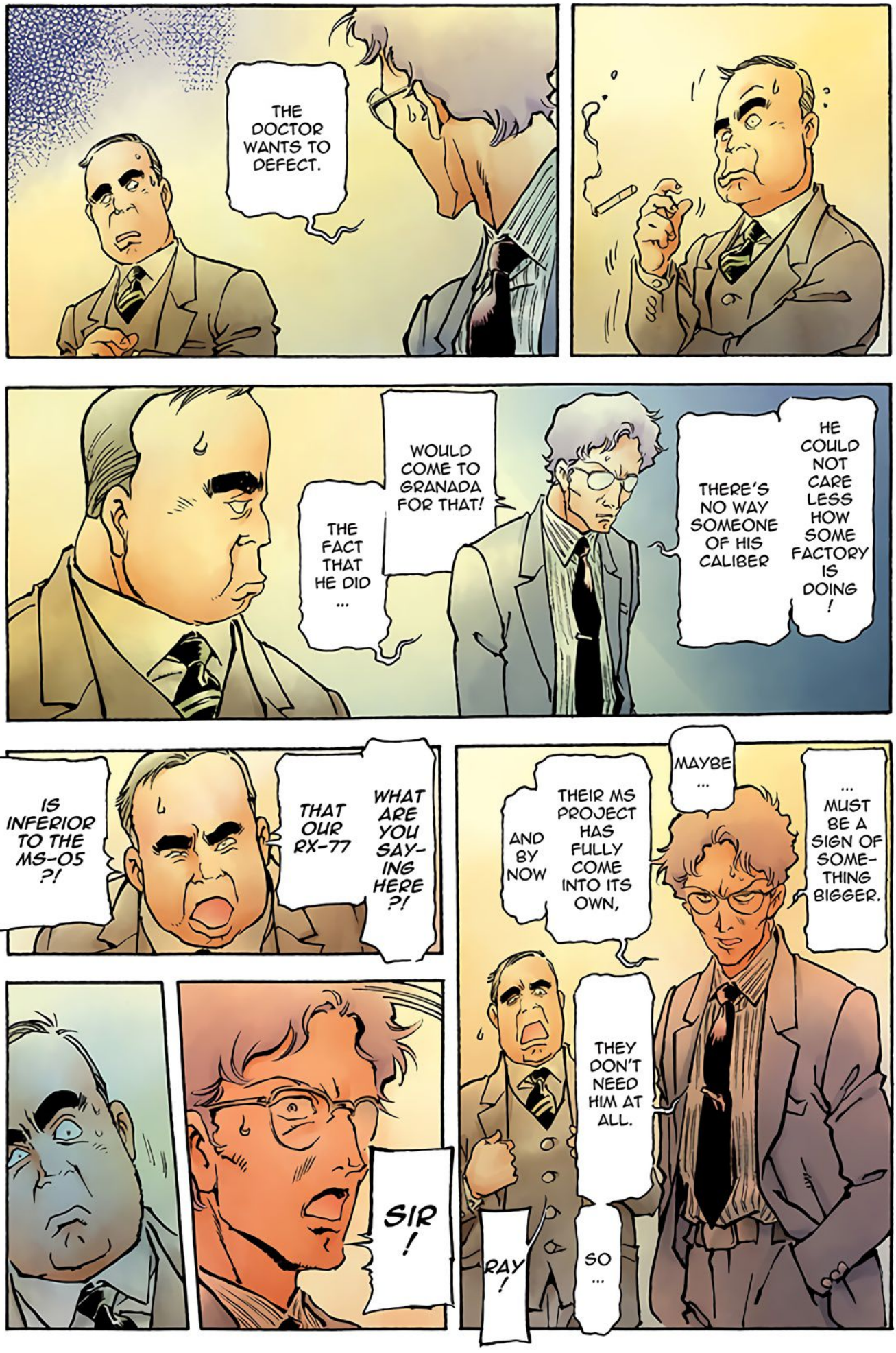
WHAT ?
YOU DON'T THINK SO?

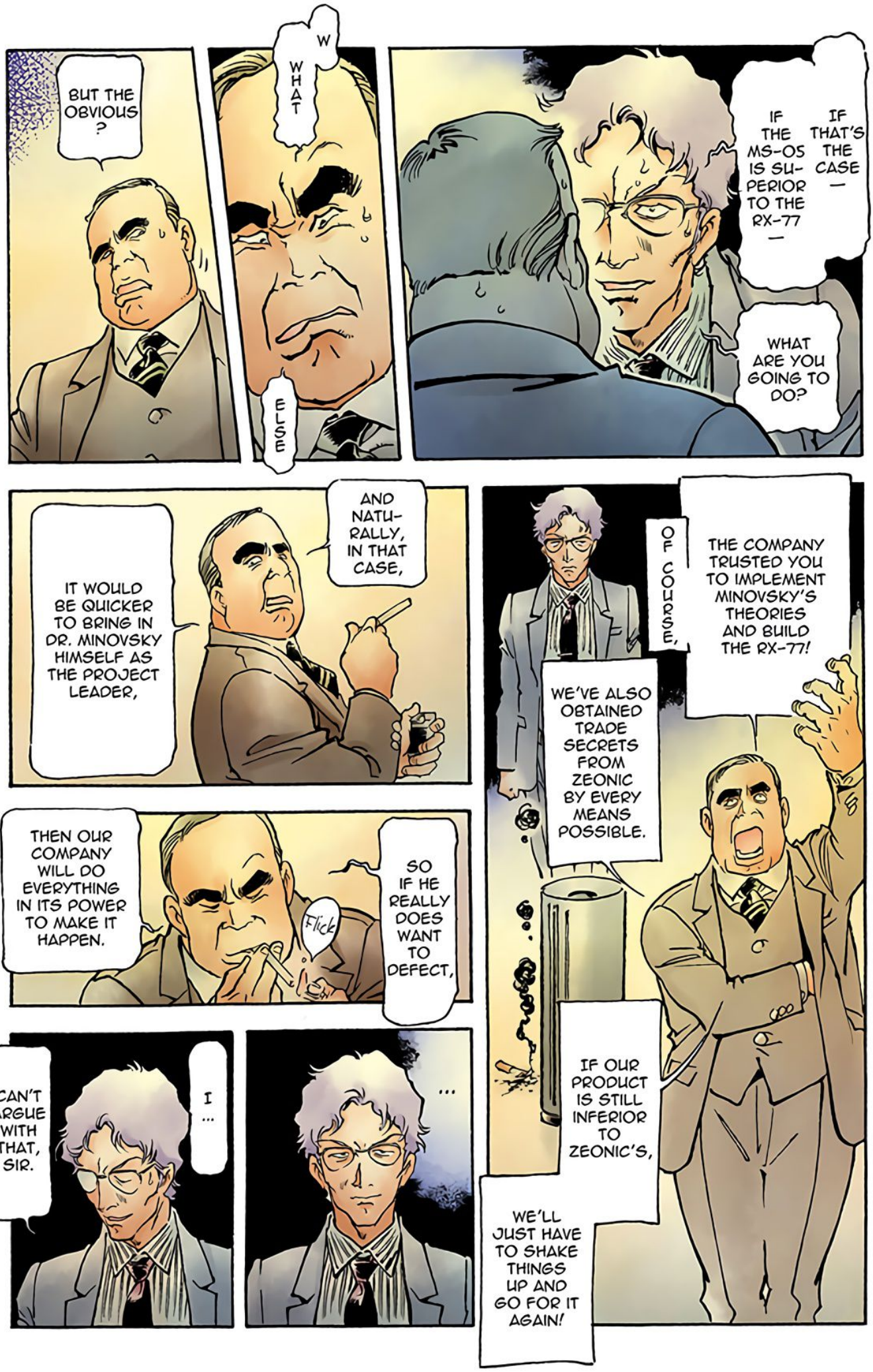

WE HAVE ALL THEIR INTEL AT OUR FIN-GER-TIPS.
THE MS-04 WAS OVER BUDGET, SO THEY REDESIGNED IT FOR MASS PRODUC-TION.
THEY HAD A HELL OF A ROW OVER THE SPECS, AND IN THE END
THEY FELL BEHIND US.

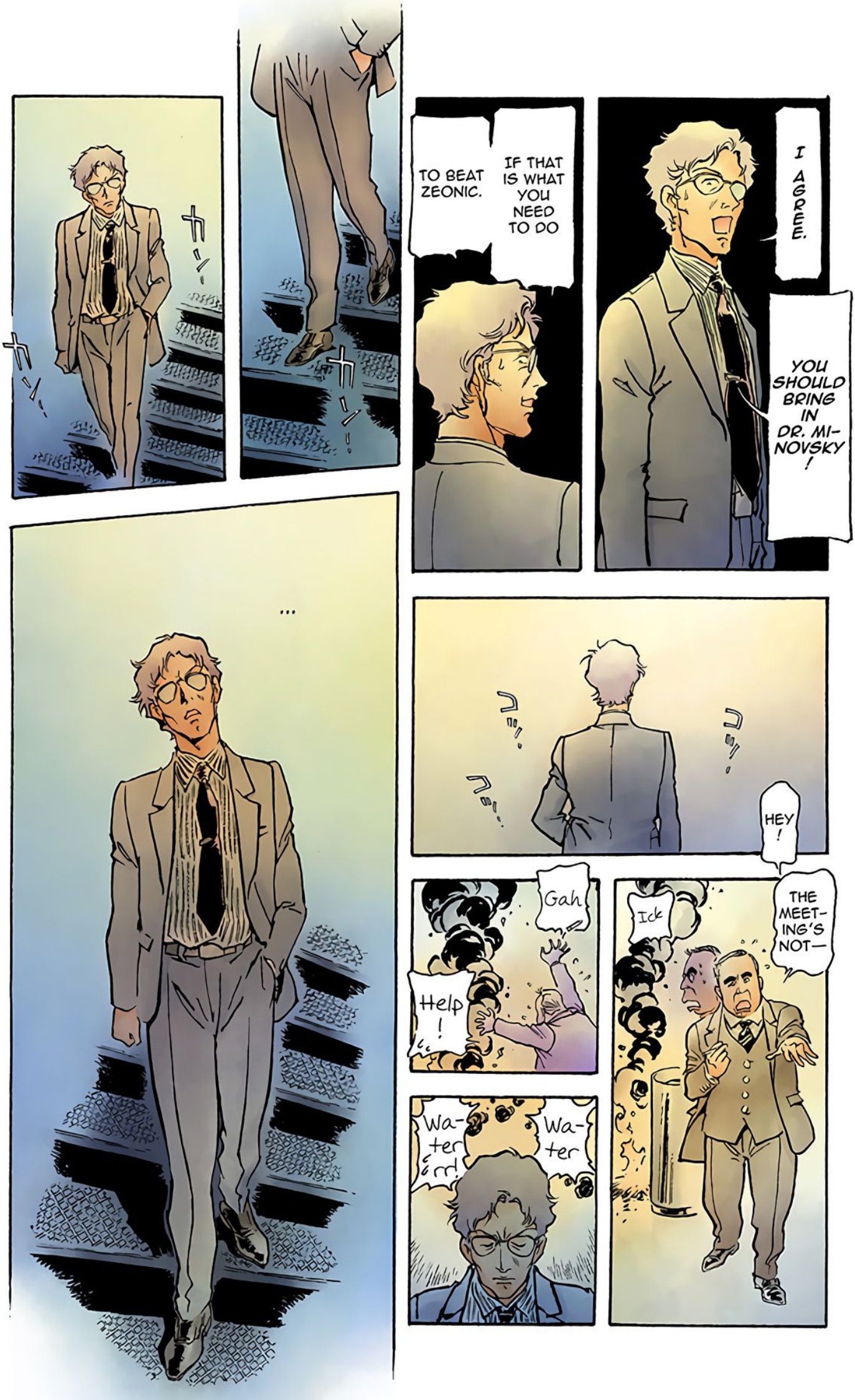
HEY, HEY !
YOU'RE THE ONE
WHO DE-SIGNED IT!

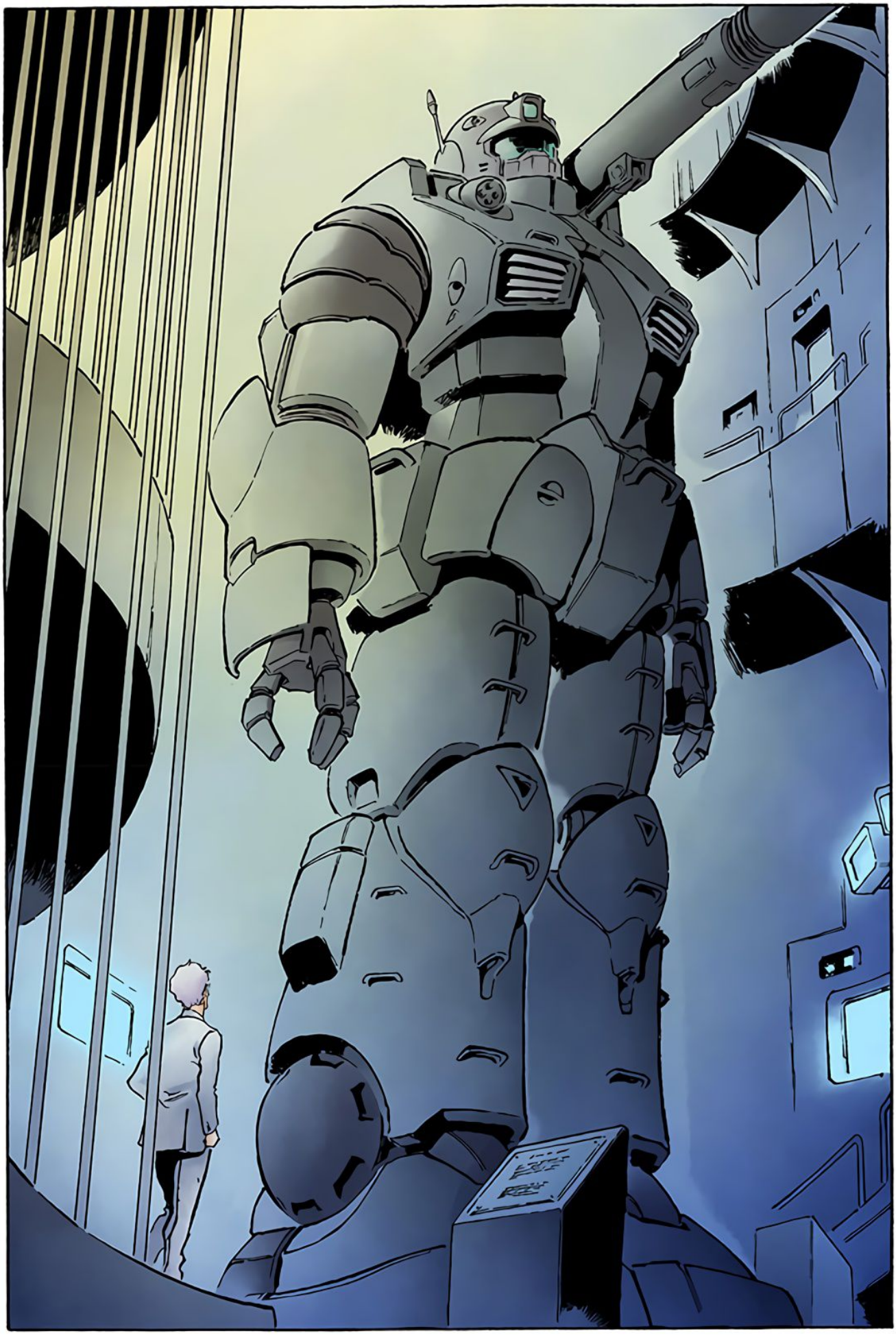
ALL LIES !!

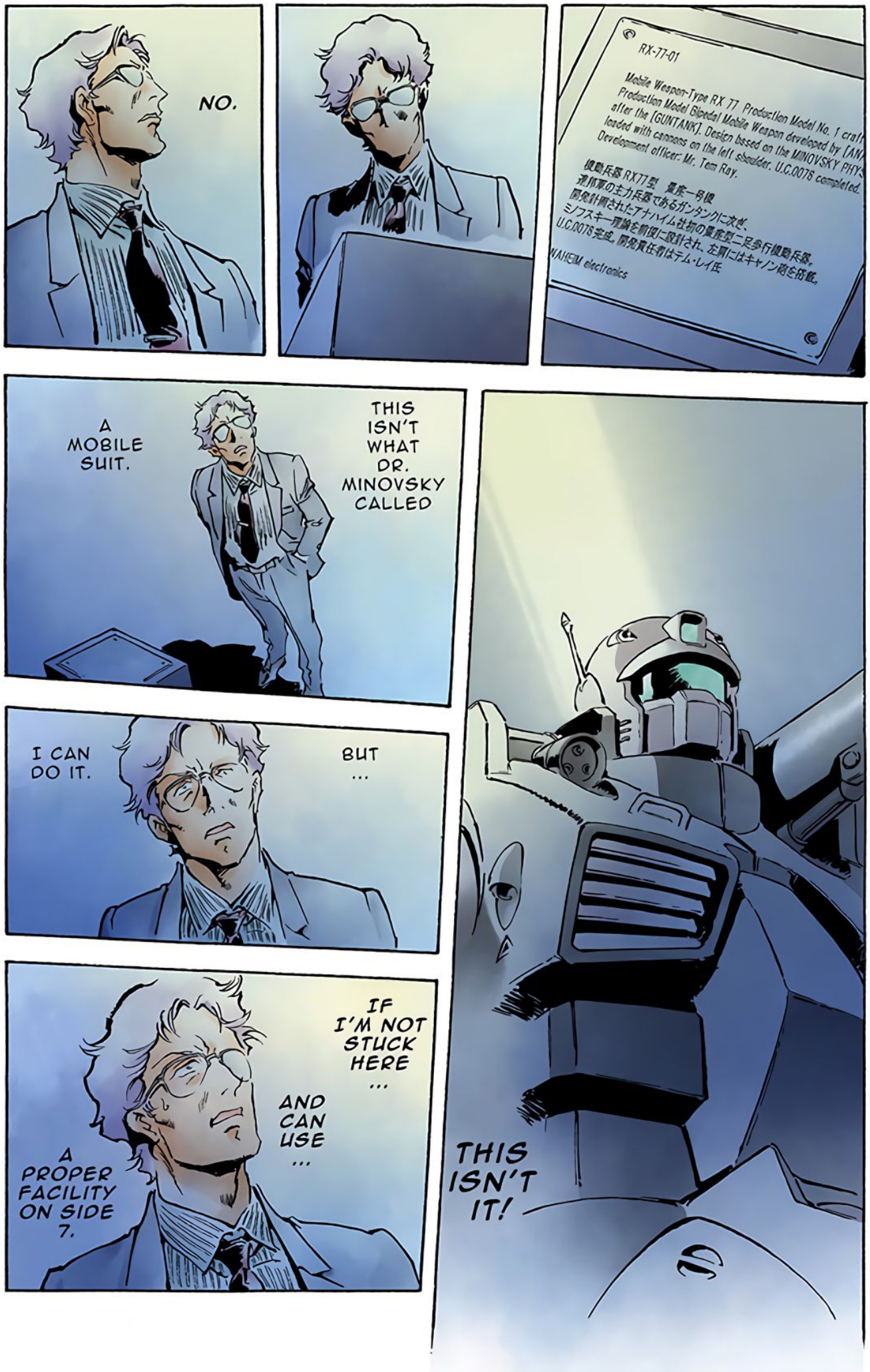

DO YOU KNOW IF DR. MI-NOV-SKY IS ON ...
OH.
YES, HIM.


THE DOCTOR WANTS TO DEFECT.
HE COULD NOT CARE LESS HOW SOME FACTORY IS DOING!
THERE'S NO WAY SOMEONE OF HIS CALIBER
WOULD COME TO GRANADA FOR THAT!
THE FACT THAT HE DID ...
WHAT ARE YOU SAY-ING HERE?!
THAT OUR RX-77
IS INFERIOR TO THE MS-05?!
MAYBE ...
... MUST BE A SIGN OF SOME-THING BIGGER.
THEIR MS PROJECT HAS FULLY COME INTO ITS OWN,
AND BY NOW
THEY DON'T NEED HIM AT ALL.
SO ...
RAY!
SIR!

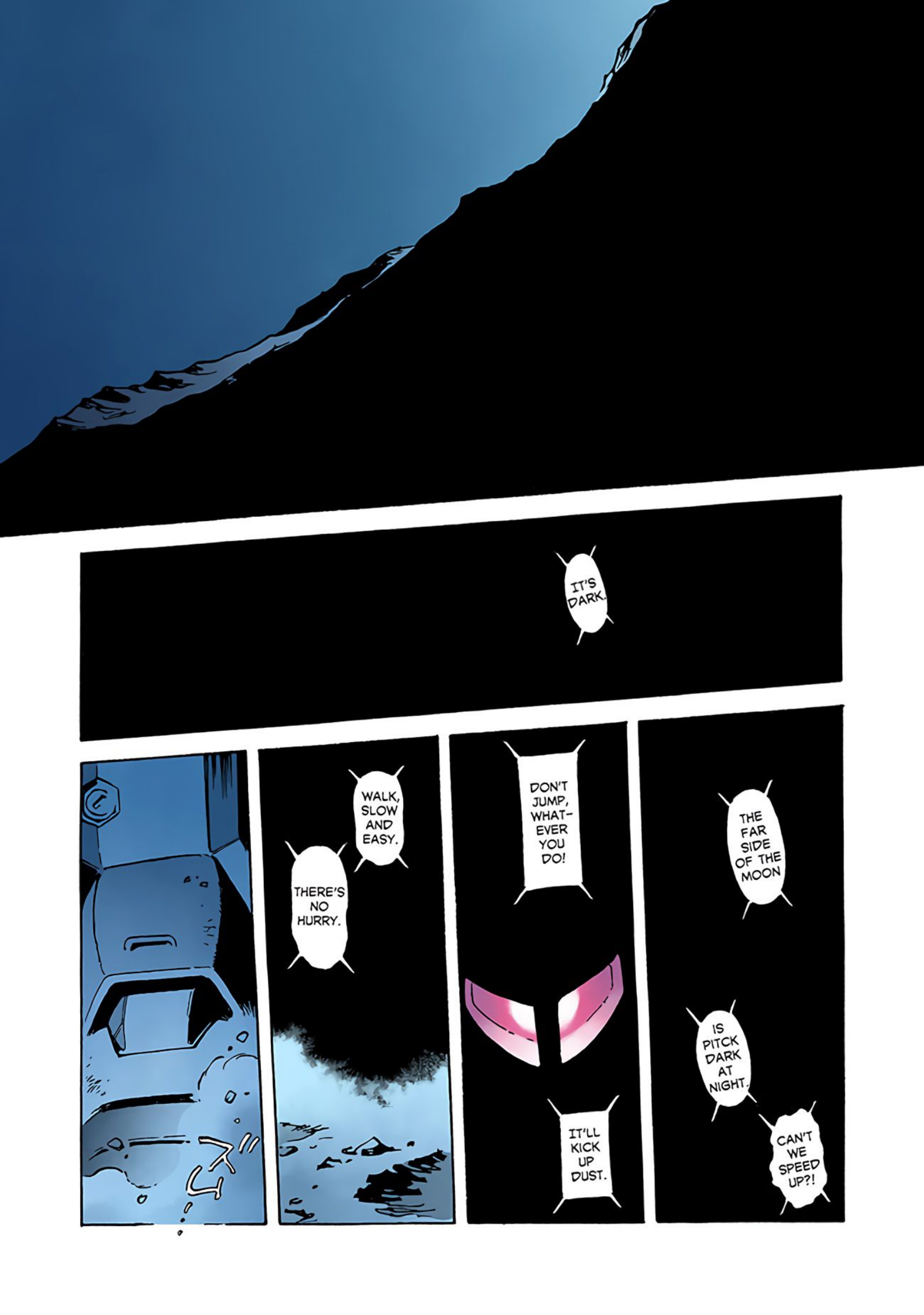

IF THE MS-05 IS SUPERIOR TO THE RX-77 —
IF THAT'S THE CASE —
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?
W
WHAT
ELSE
BUT THE OBVIOUS ?
OF COURSE,
THE COMPANY TRUSTED YOU TO IMPLEMENT MINOVSKY'S THEORIES AND BUILD THE RX-77!
WE'VE ALSO OBTAINED TRADE SECRETS FROM ZEONIC BY EVERY MEANS POSSIBLE.
IF OUR PRODUCT IS STILL INFERIOR TO ZEONIC'S,
WE'LL JUST HAVE TO SHAKE THINGS UP AND GO FOR IT AGAIN!
AND NATURALLY, IN THAT CASE,
IT WOULD BE QUICKER TO BRING IN DR. MINOVSKY HIMSELF AS THE PROJECT LEADER,
SO IF HE REALLY DOES WANT TO DEFECT,
Flick
THEN OUR COMPANY WILL DO EVERYTHING IN ITS POWER TO MAKE IT HAPPEN.
...
I ...
CAN'T ARGUE WITH THAT, SIR.

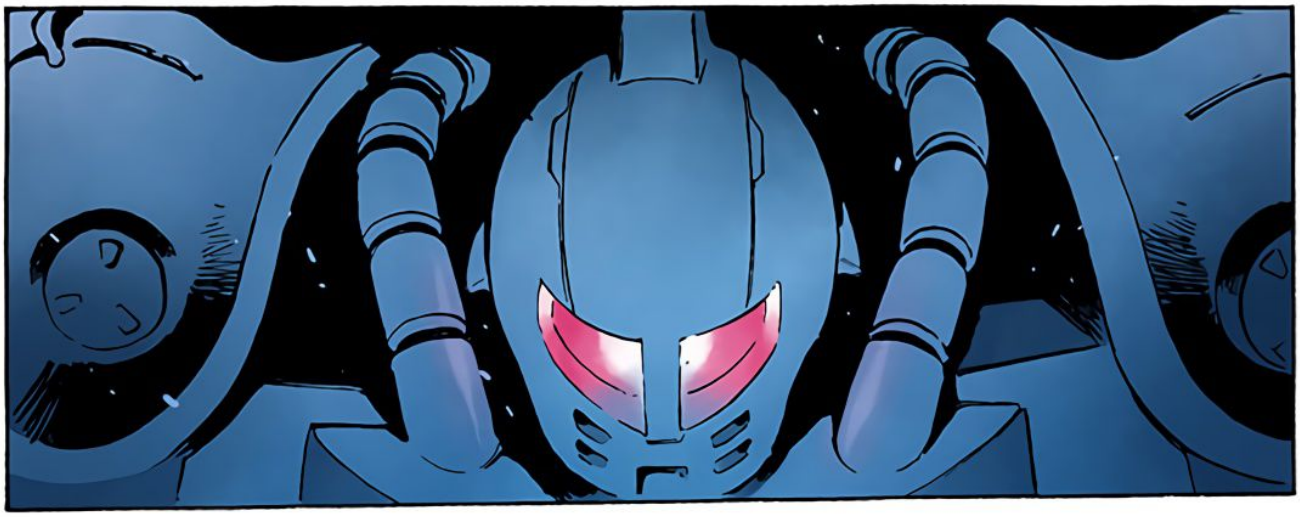

I AGREE.
YOU SHOULD BRING IN DR. MINOVSKY!
IF THAT IS WHAT YOU NEED TO DO
TO BEAT ZEONIC.
HEY!
THE MEETING'S NOT—
Ick
Gah
Help!
Wa-ter
Wa-ter
...

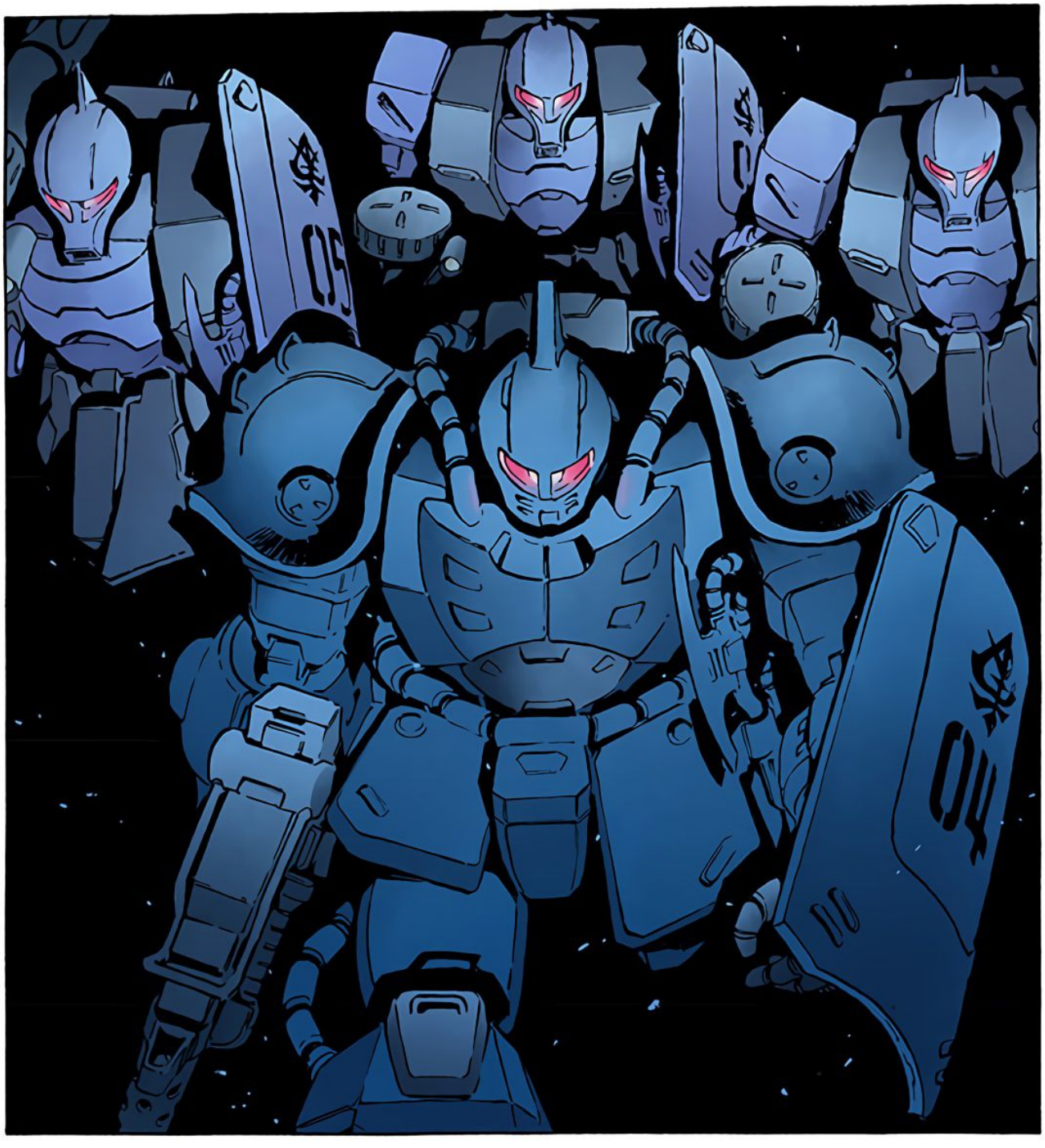


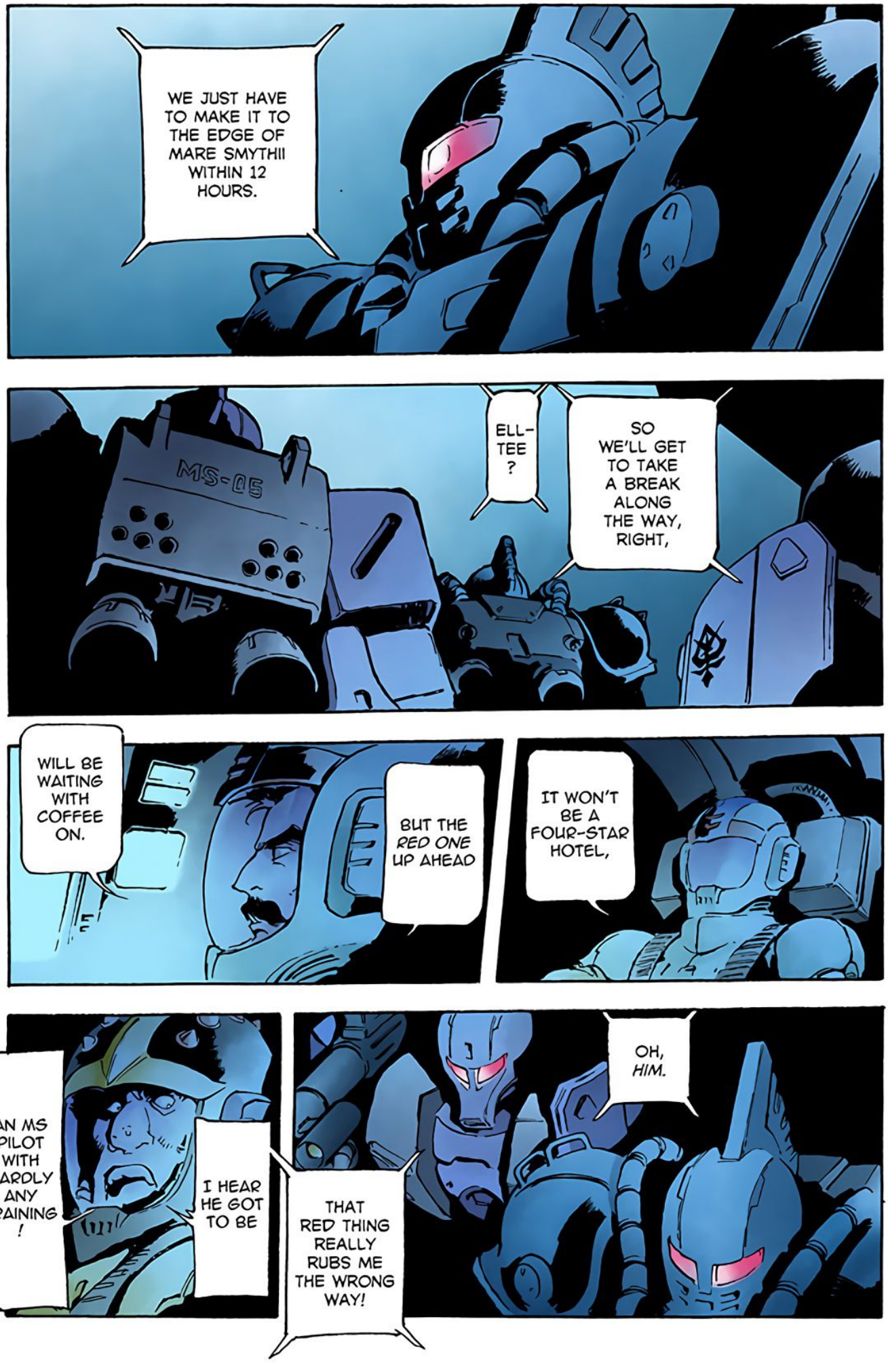

NO.
RX-77-01
Mobile Weapon-Type RX 77 Production Model No. 1 craft
Production Model Bipedal Mobile Weapon developed by [AN
after the [GUNTANK]. Design based on the MINOVSKY PHYS
loaded with cannons on the left shoulder. U.C.0078 completed.
Development officer: Mr. Tem Ray.
機動兵器 RX77型 量産一号機
連邦軍の主力兵器であるガンタンクに次ぎ、
開発計画されたアナハイム社初の量産型二足歩行機動兵器。
ミノフスキー理論を前提に設計され、左肩にはキャノン砲を搭載。
U.C.0078完成。開発責任者はテム・レイ氏
ANAHEIM electronics
THIS ISN'T WHAT DR. MINOVSKY CALLED
A MOBILE SUIT.
BUT ...
I CAN DO IT.
IF I'M NOT STUCK HERE ...
AND CAN USE ...
A PROPER FACILITY ON SIDE 7.
THIS ISN'T IT!

I CAN DO IT TOO!

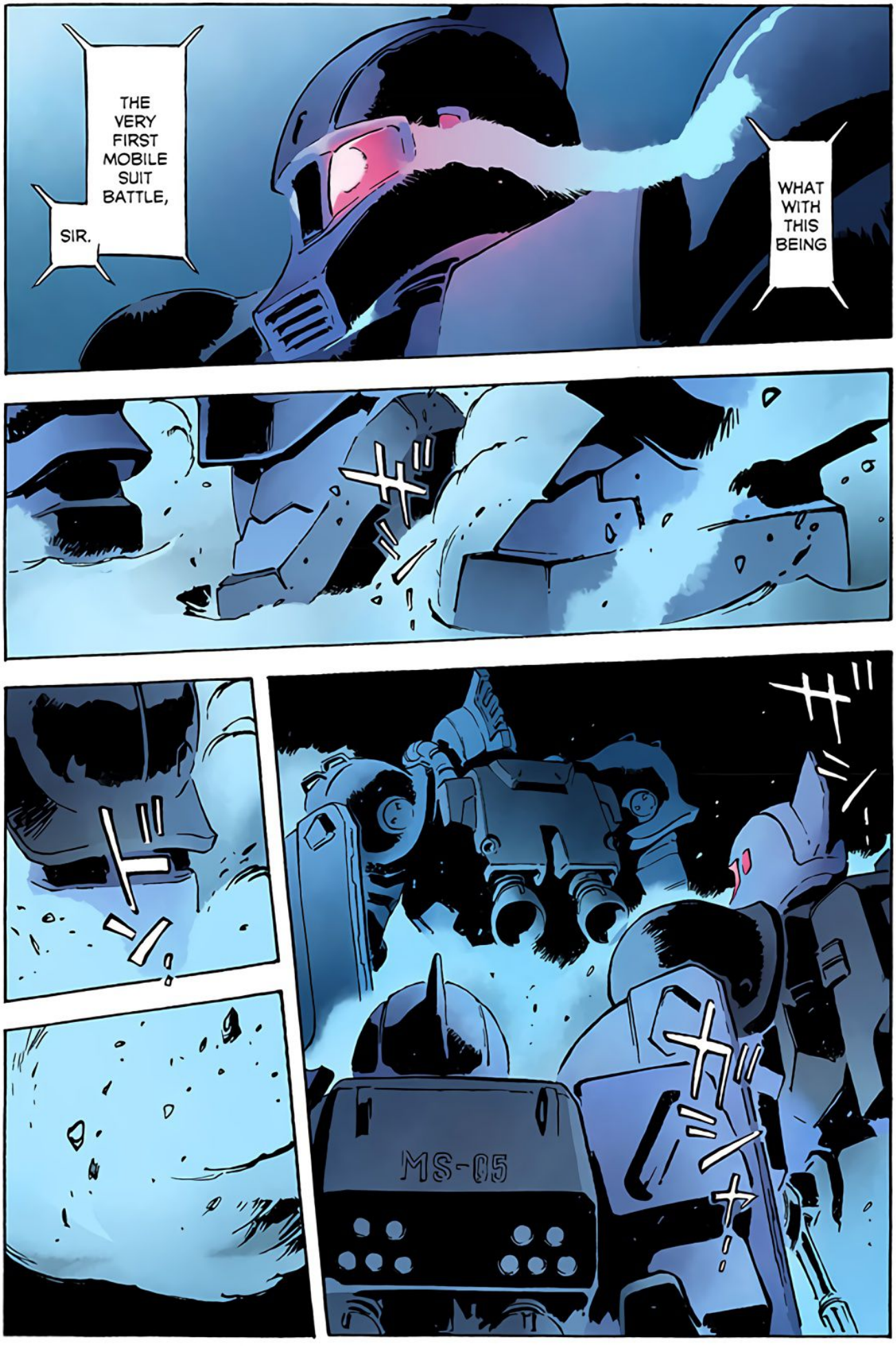

IT'S DARK.
WALK, SLOW AND EASY.
THERE'S NO HURRY.
DON'T JUMP, WHAT-EVER YOU DO!
IT'LL KICK UP DUST.
THE FAR SIDE OF THE MOON
IS PITCH DARK AT NIGHT.
CAN'T WE SPEED UP?!

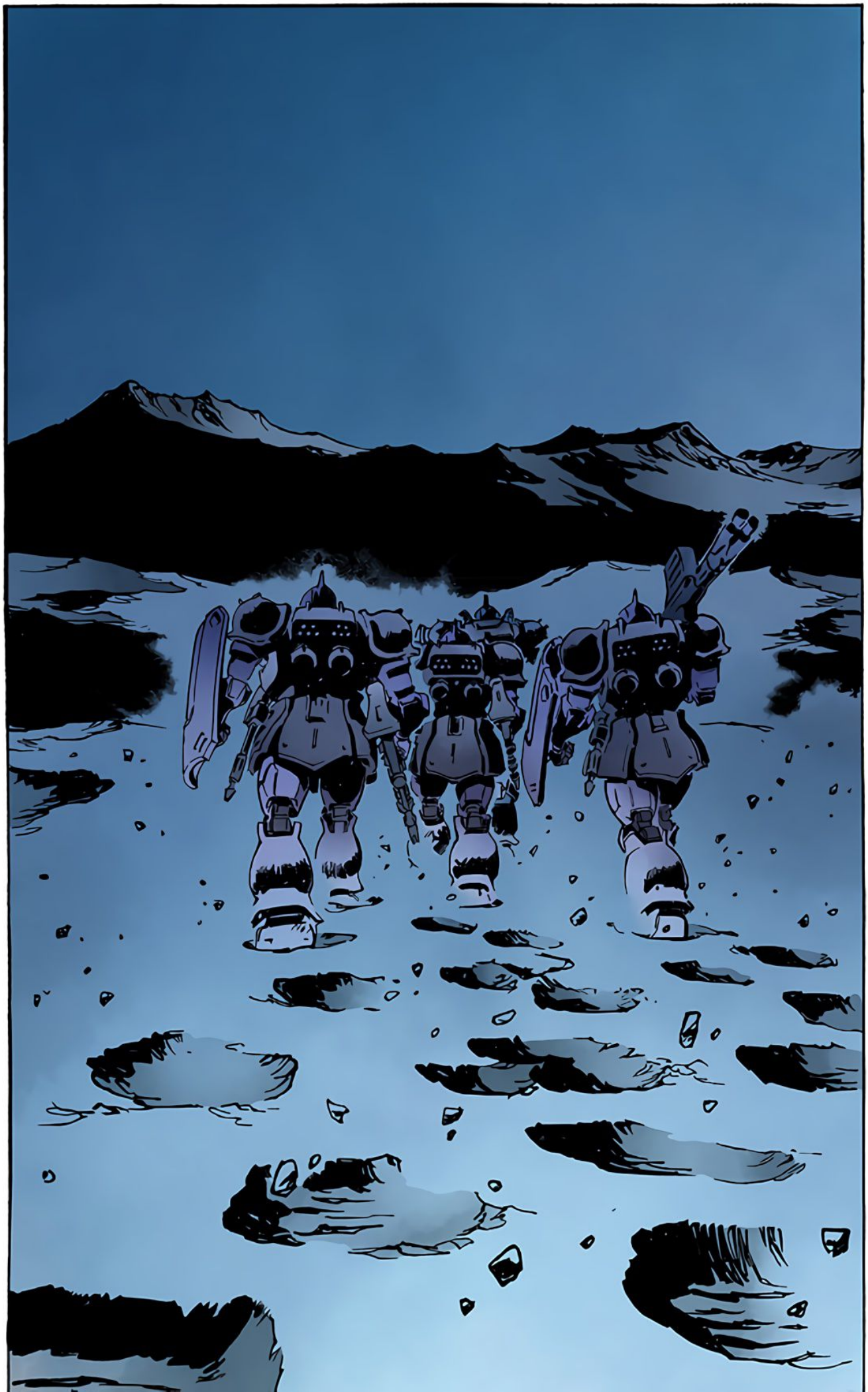


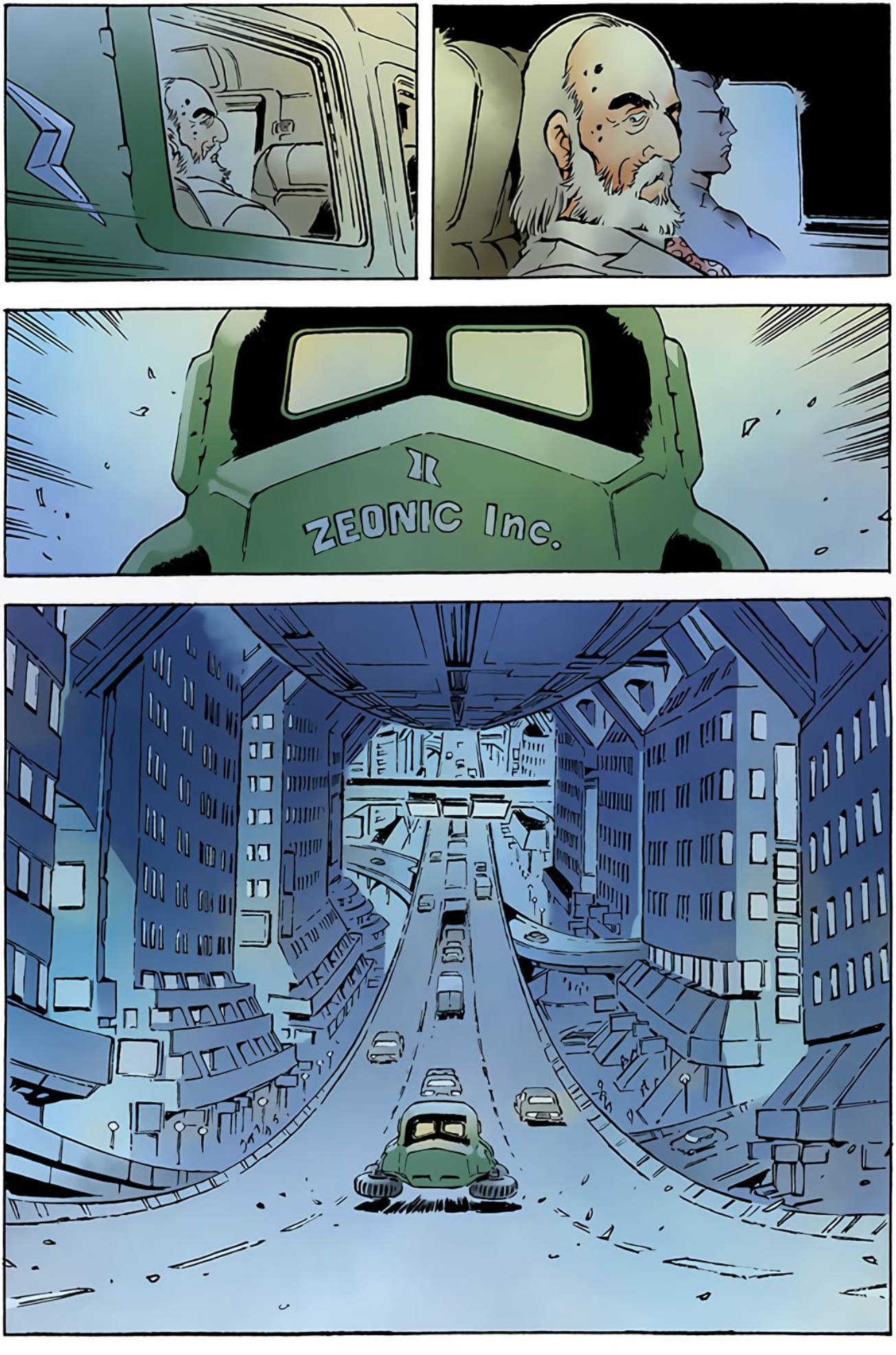



WE JUST HAVE TO MAKE IT TO THE EDGE OF MARE SMYTHII WITHIN 12 HOURS.
MS-05
ELL-TEE ?
SO WE'LL GET TO TAKE A BREAK ALONG THE WAY, RIGHT,
WILL BE WAITING WITH COFFEE ON.
BUT THE *RED ONE* UP AHEAD
IT WON'T BE A FOUR-STAR HOTEL,
AN MS PILOT WITH HARDLY ANY TRAINING !
I HEAR HE GOT TO BE
THAT RED THING REALLY RUBS ME THE WRONG WAY!
OH, *HIM.*

A GUY WITH A RECORD WHO GOT KICKED OUT OF CADET SCHOOL?
PEH
DID HE BUTTER UP CAPTAIN DOZLE, OR WHAT?
SMOOTH BAS-TARD!
DON'T KNOW ABOUT SMOOTH,
BUT HE IS GOOD.
HOLY SHIT,
YOU GOING SOFT, LIEUTE-NANT?
GAIA!
SHUT THEM UP!!
HA HA ...
LT. RAL,
I BEG YOU, BEAR WITH THEM.
BOTH OF 'EM ARE JUST WORKED UP...
MS-05


THE VERY FIRST MOBILE SUIT BATTLE,
SIR.
WHAT WITH THIS BEING
MS-05

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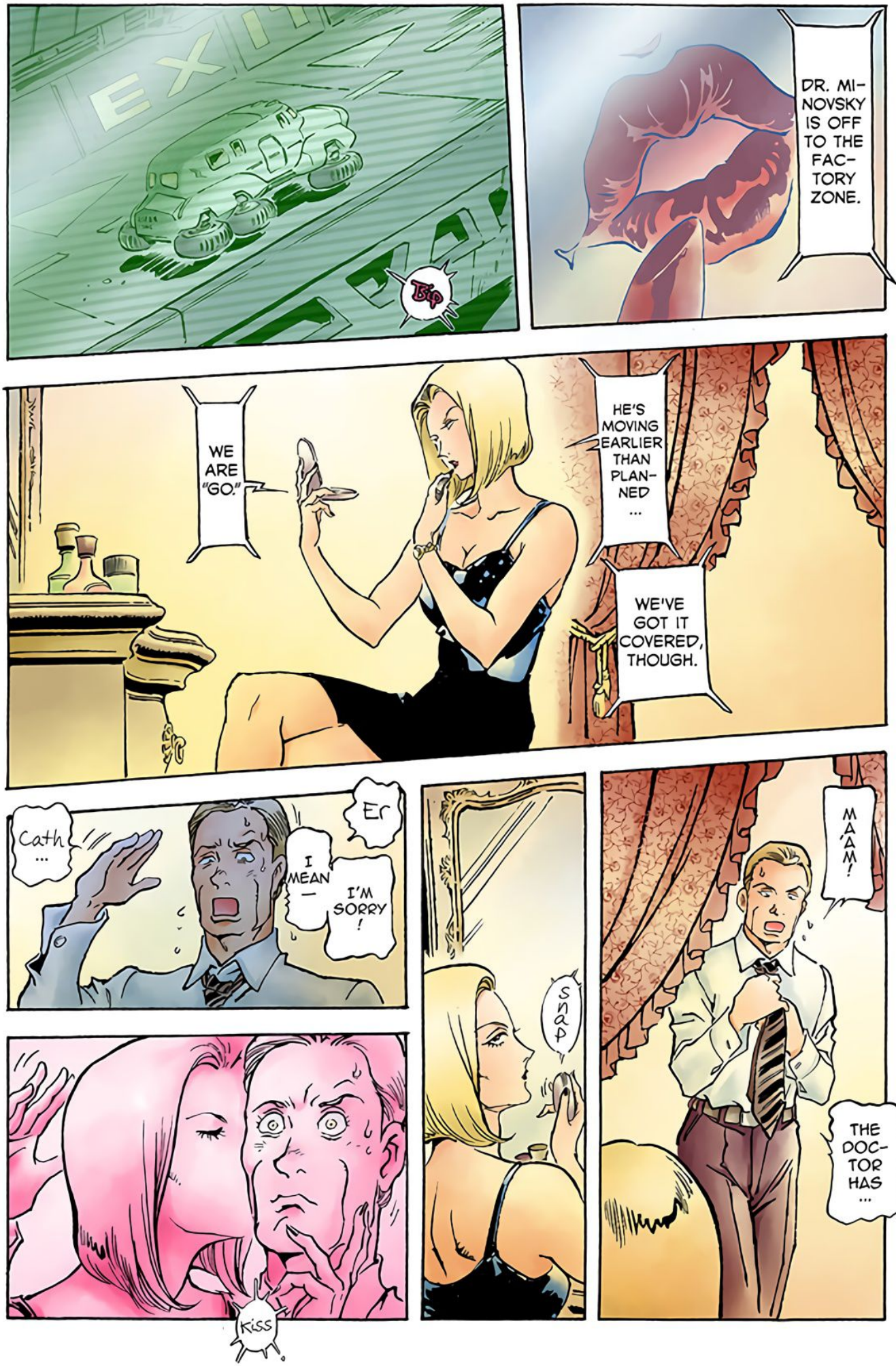
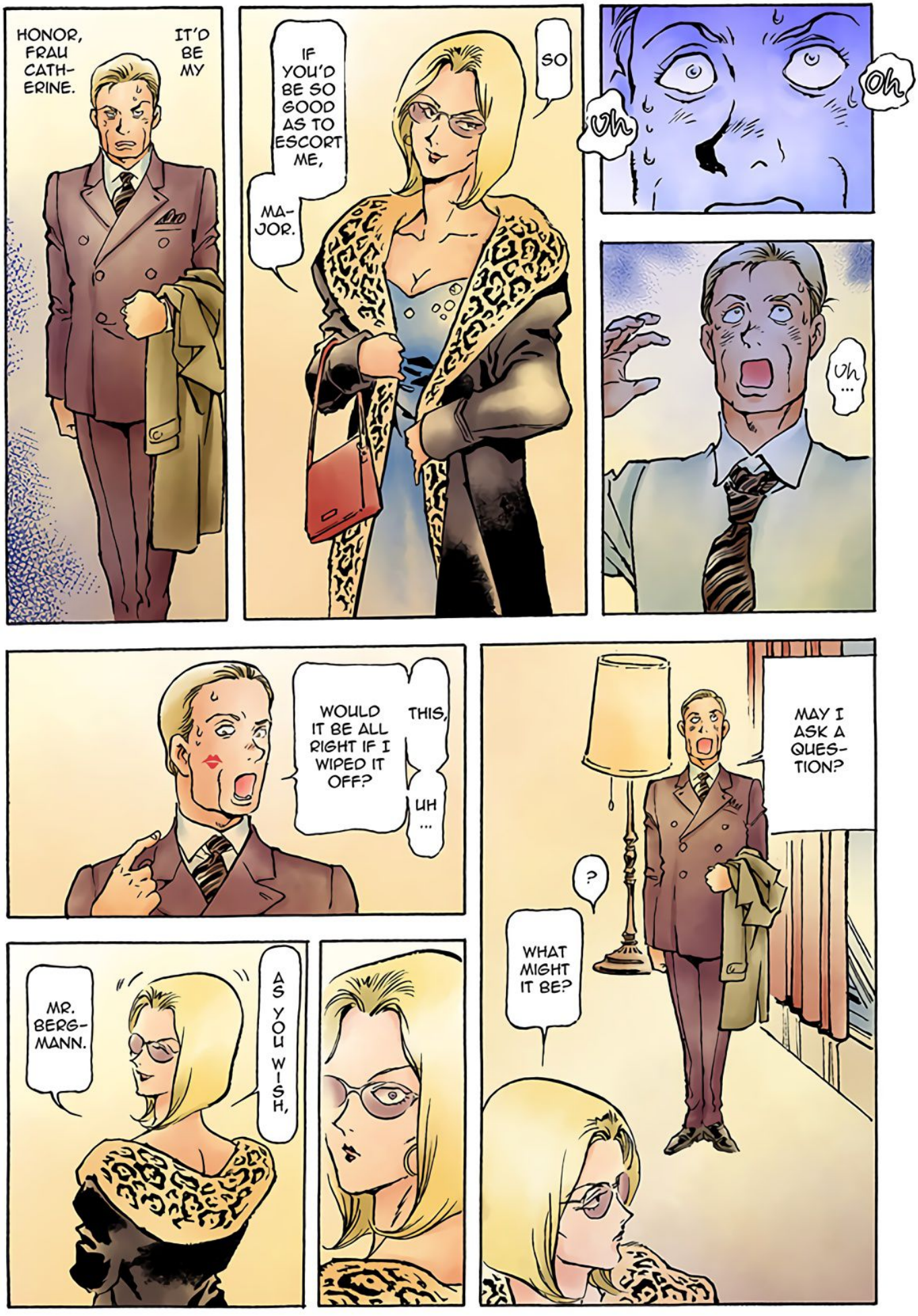
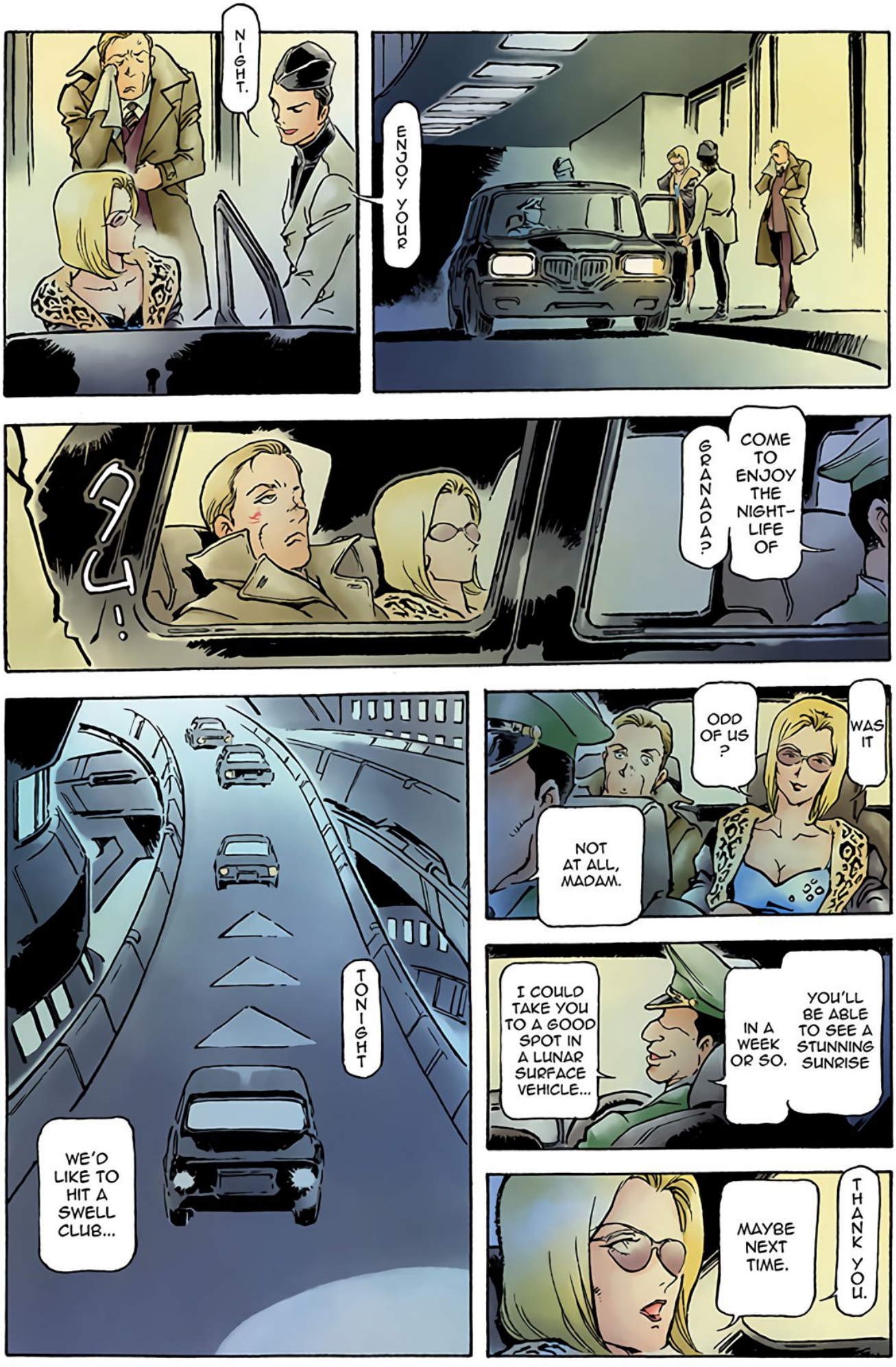
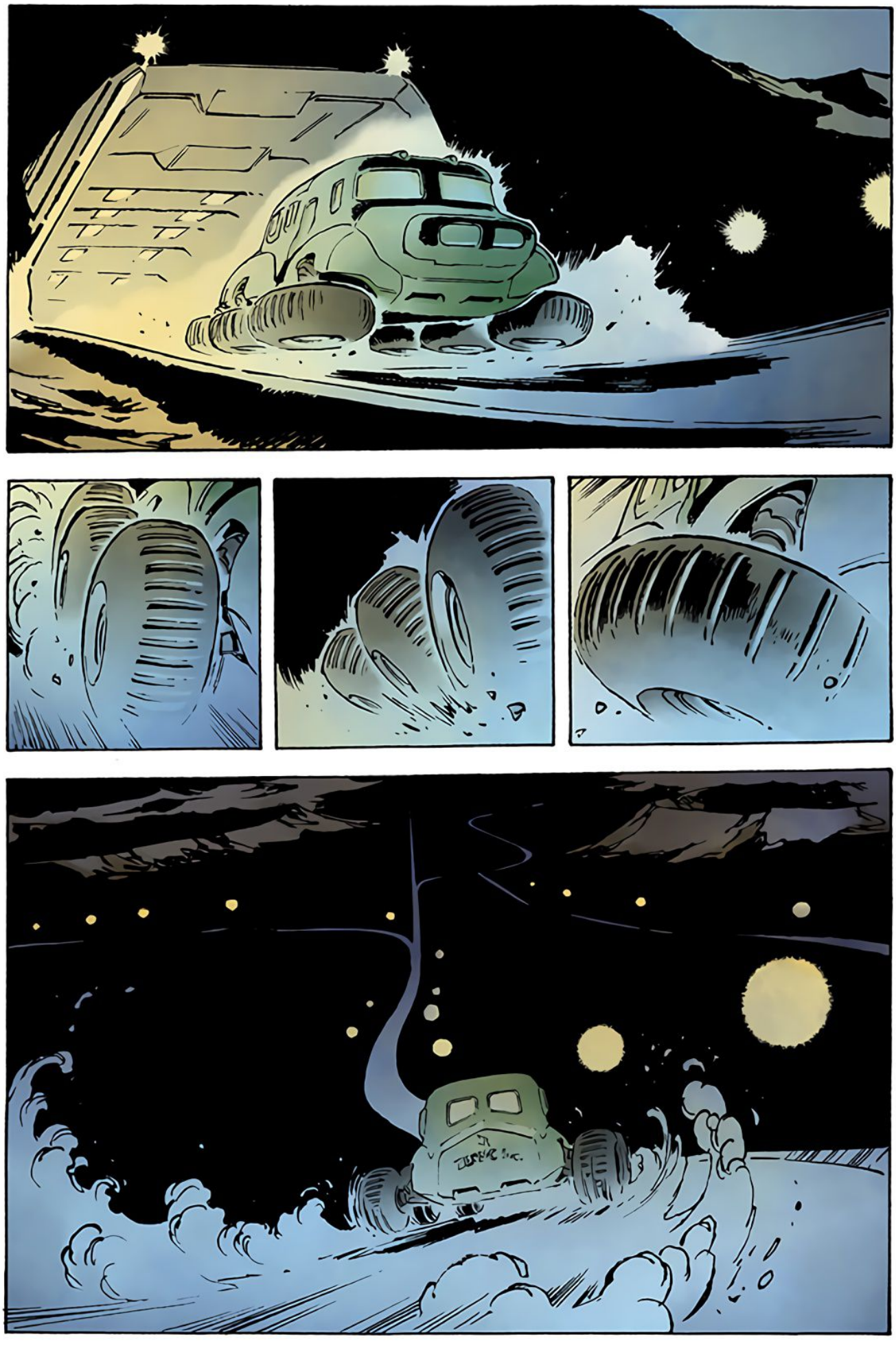
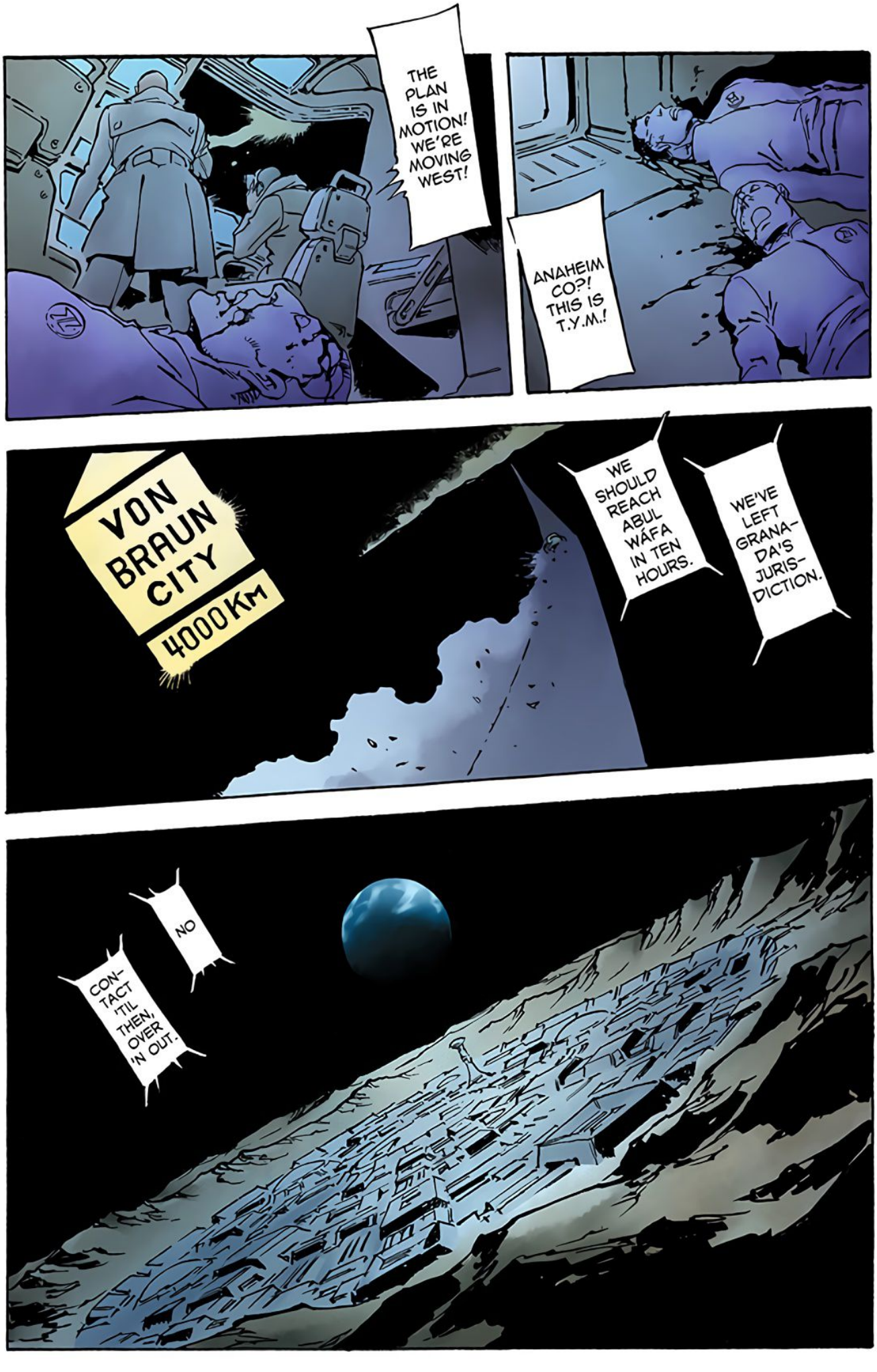

EXIT
Bip
DR. MINOVSKY IS OFF TO THE FACTORY ZONE.
WE ARE "GO."
HE'S MOVING EARLIER THAN PLANNED ...
WE'VE GOT IT COVERED, THOUGH.
Cath ...
Er
I MEAN —
I'M SORRY!
Kiss
SNAP
MA'AM!
THE DOCTOR HAS ...

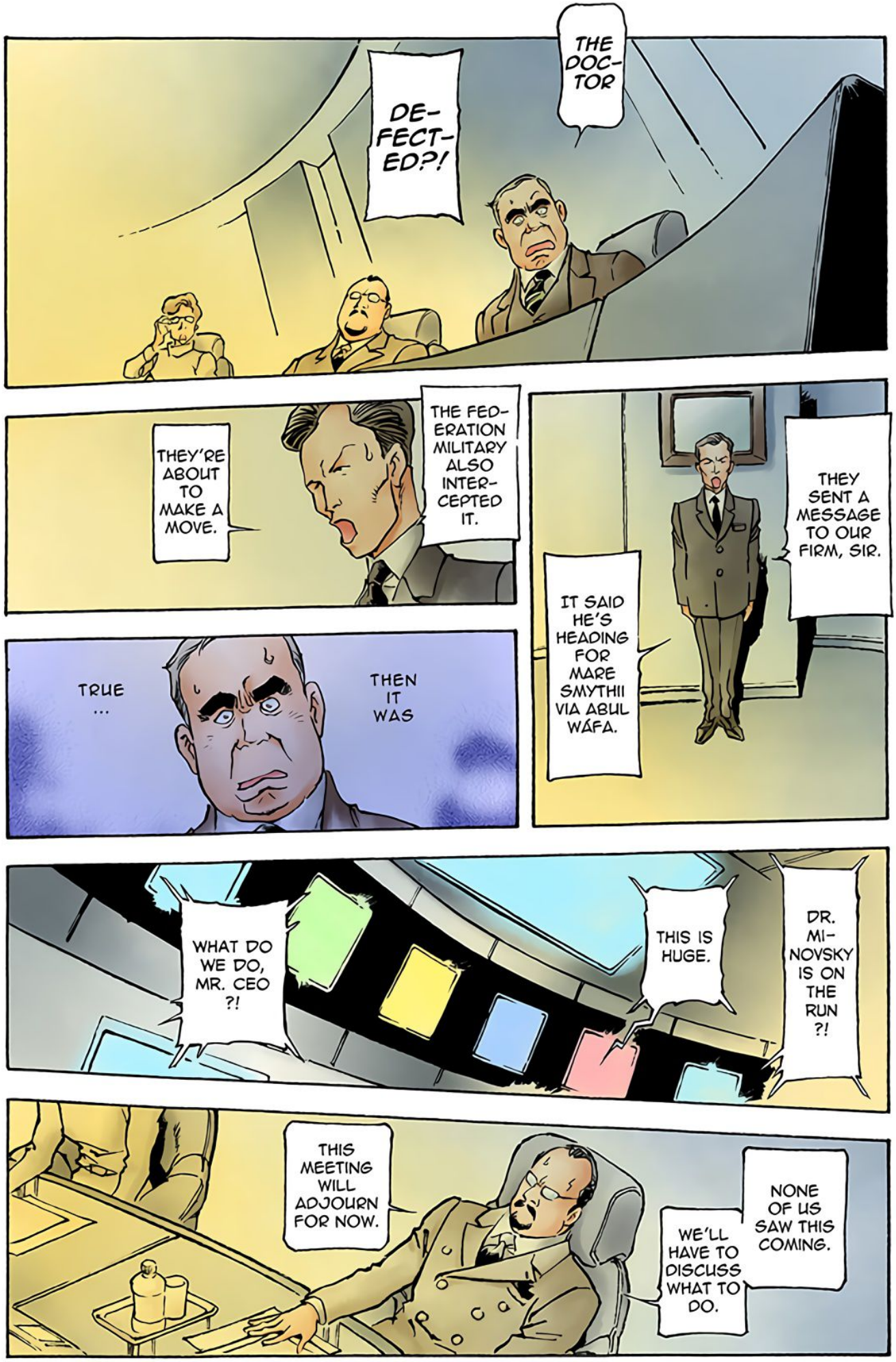

HONOR, FRAU CATH-ERINE.
IT'D BE MY
SO
IF YOU'D BE SO GOOD AS TO ESCORT ME,
MA-JOR.
Uh
Oh
Uh ...
THIS,
UH ...
WOULD IT BE ALL RIGHT IF I WIPED IT OFF?
MAY I ASK A QUES-TION?
?
WHAT MIGHT IT BE?
MR. BERG-MANN.
AS YOU WISH,

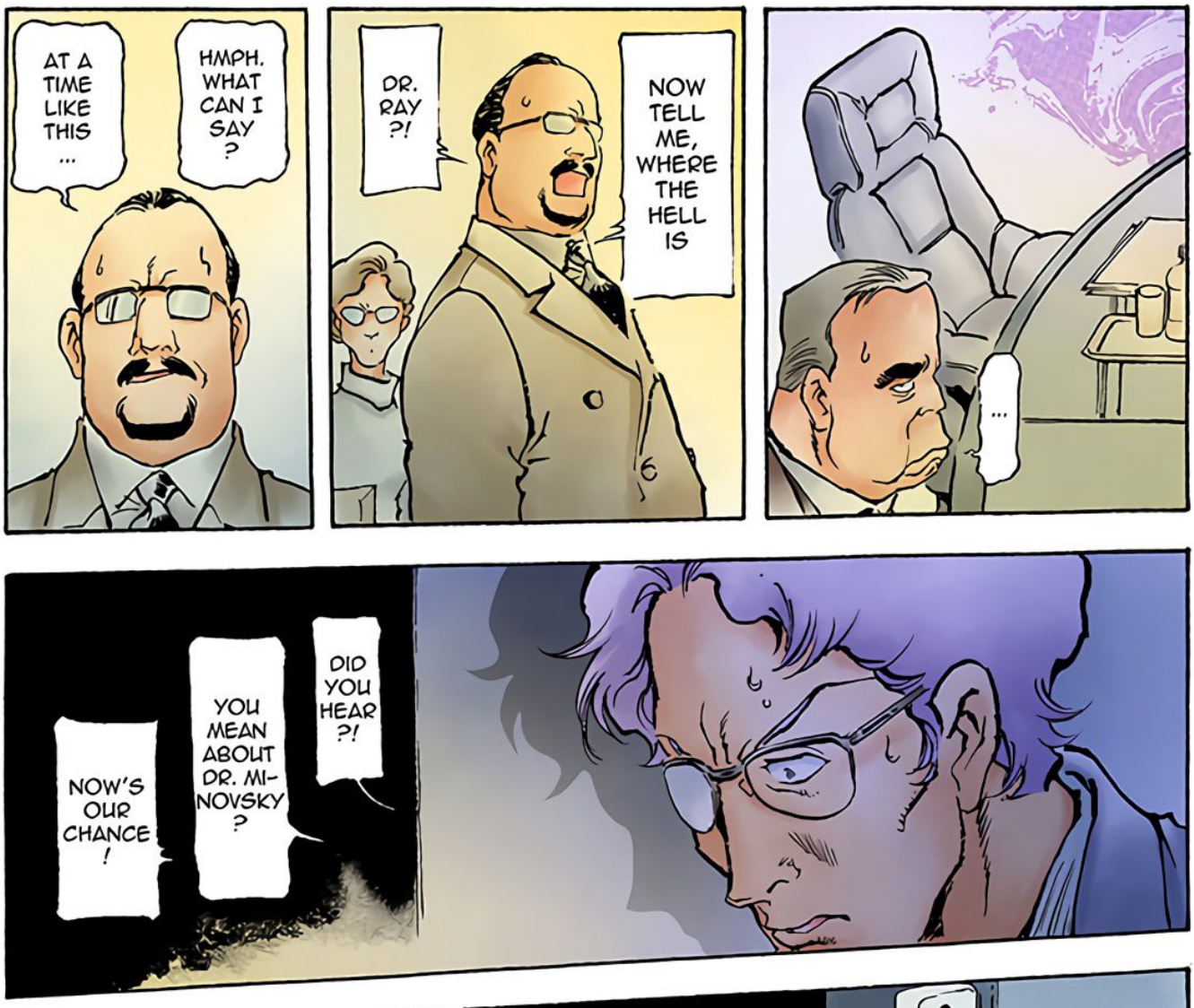

NIGHT.
ENJOY YOUR
COME TO ENJOY THE NIGHT-LIFE OF GRANADA?
WAS IT
ODD OF US ?
NOT AT ALL, MADAM.
I COULD TAKE YOU TO A GOOD SPOT IN A LUNAR SURFACE VEHICLE...
IN A WEEK OR SO.
YOU'LL BE ABLE TO SEE A STUNNING SUNRISE
THANK YOU.
MAYBE NEXT TIME.
TONIGHT
WE'D LIKE TO HIT A SWELL CLUB...

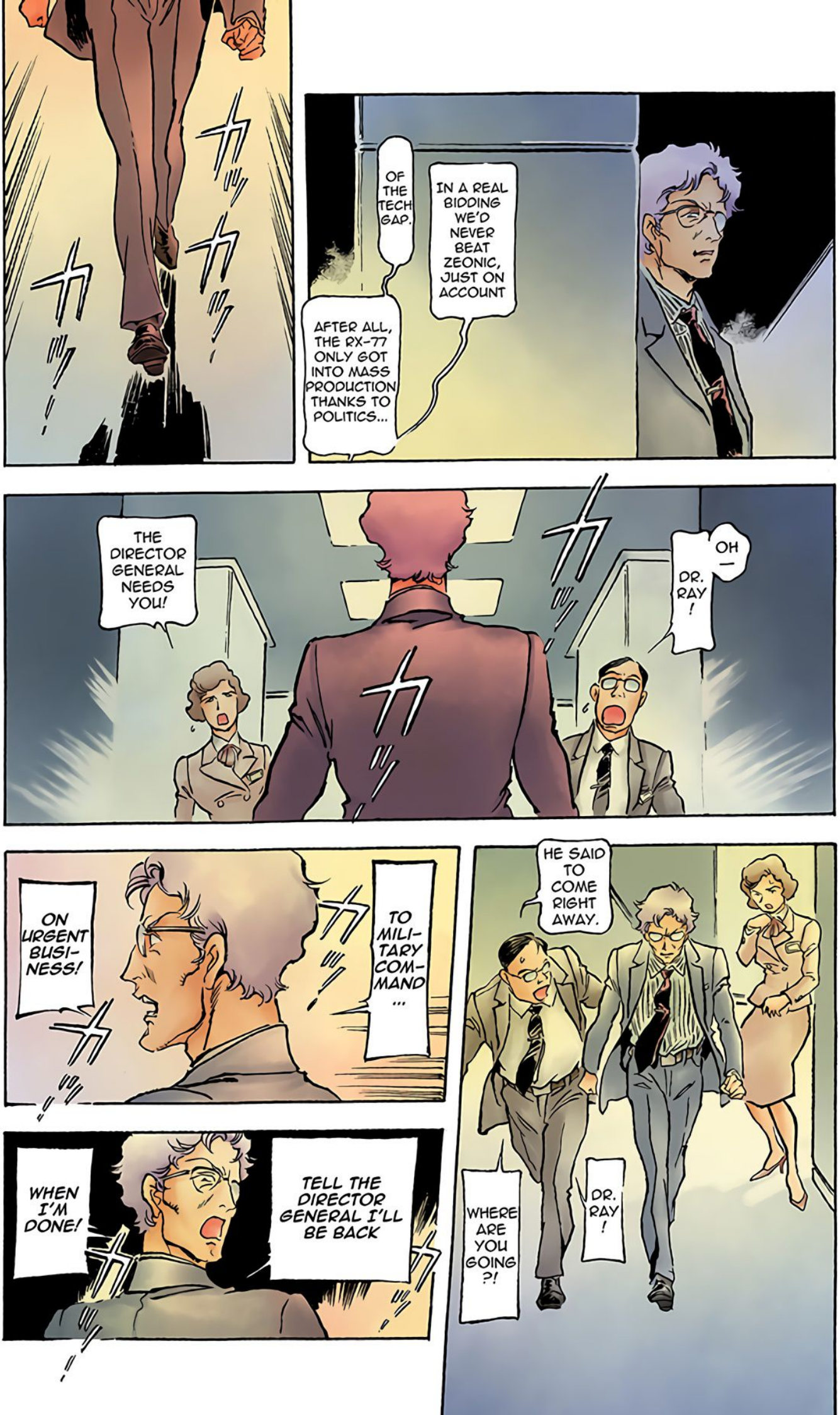


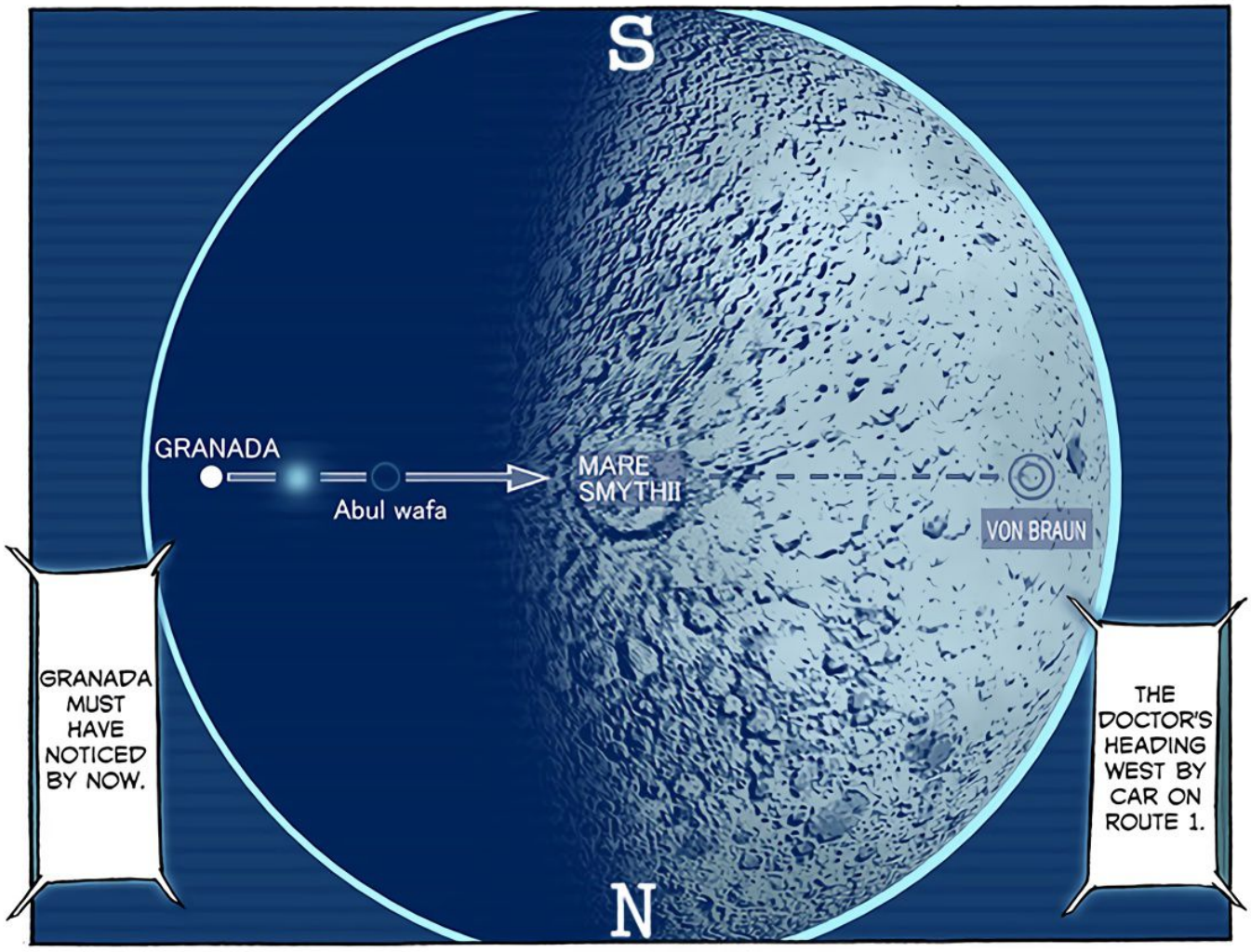
5KM
ZEONIC GRANADA PLANT
5 KM


THE PLAN IS IN MOTION! WE'RE MOVING WEST!
ANAHEIM CO?! THIS IS T.Y.M.!
VON BRAUN CITY
4000Km
WE SHOULD REACH ABUL WÁFA IN TEN HOURS.
WE'VE LEFT GRANADA'S JURISDICTION.
NO
CONTACT 'TIL THEN, OVER 'N OUT.

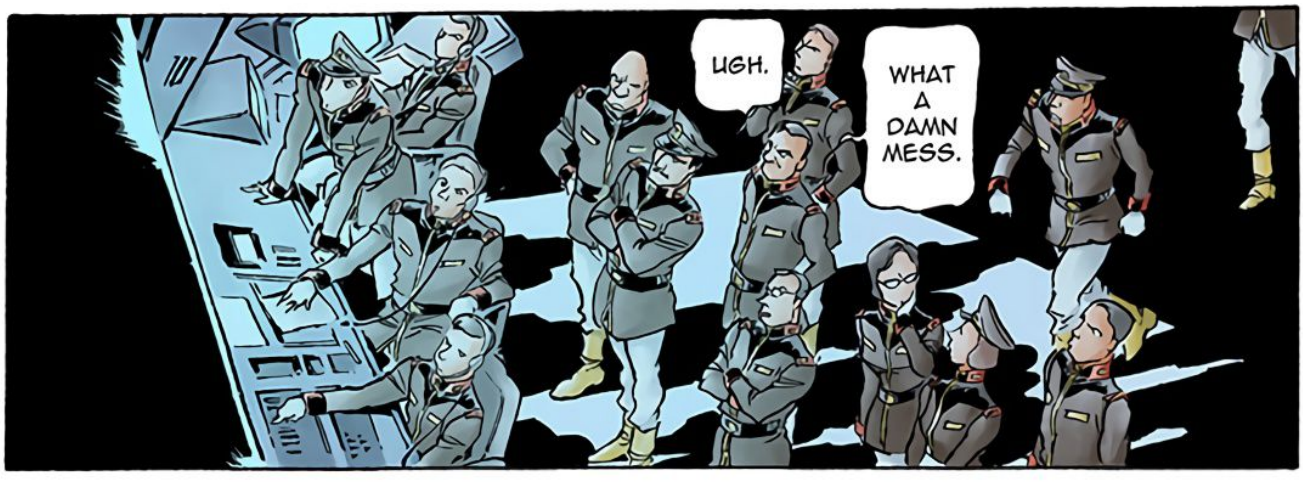

THE DOC-TOR
DE-FECT-ED?!
THEY'RE ABOUT TO MAKE A MOVE.
THE FED-ERATION MILITARY ALSO INTER-CEPTED IT.
THEY SENT A MESSAGE TO OUR FIRM, SIR.
IT SAID HE'S HEADING FOR MARE SMYTHII VIA ABUL WÁFA.
TRUE ...
THEN IT WAS
WHAT DO WE DO, MR. CEO ?!
THIS IS HUGE.
DR. MI-NOVSKY IS ON THE RUN ?!
THIS MEETING WILL ADJOURN FOR NOW.
WE'LL HAVE TO DISCUSS WHAT TO DO.
NONE OF US SAW THIS COMING.

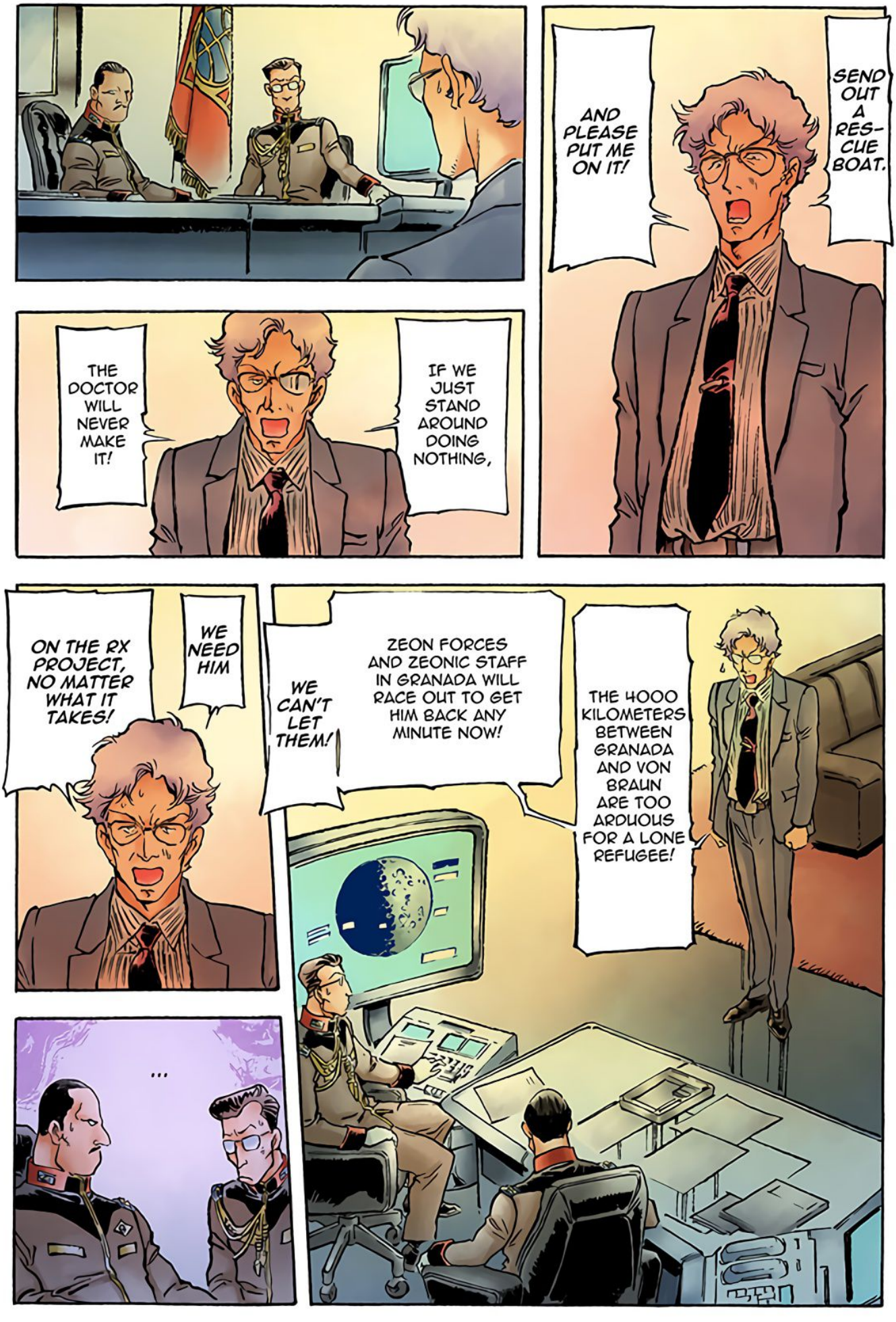

AT A TIME LIKE THIS ...
HMPH. WHAT CAN I SAY ?
DR. RAY ?!
NOW TELL ME, WHERE THE HELL IS
...
NOW'S OUR CHANCE !
YOU MEAN ABOUT DR. MINOVSKY ?
DID YOU HEAR ?!
SEE, DR. RAY MIGHT NOT LIKE IT.
EH, THE PUPIL IS BUT A PUPIL.
SHH !
NOT SO LOUD.
IT'S STILL TOP SECRET.
IT'S A NO-BRAINER, WE HAVE TO BRING HIM INTO ANAHEIM!


IN A REAL BIDDING WE'D NEVER BEAT ZEONIC, JUST ON ACCOUNT OF THE TECH GAP.
AFTER ALL, THE RX-77 ONLY GOT INTO MASS PRODUCTION THANKS TO POLITICS...
OH— DR. RAY!
THE DIRECTOR GENERAL NEEDS YOU!
TO MILI-TARY COM-MAND...
ON URGENT BUSI-NESS!
HE SAID TO COME RIGHT AWAY.
DR. RAY!
WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!
TELL THE DIRECTOR GENERAL I'LL BE BACK
WHEN I'M DONE!


S
GRANADA
Abul wafa
MARE SMYTHII
VON BRAUN
N
GRANADA MUST HAVE NOTICED BY NOW.
THE DOCTOR'S HEADING WEST BY CAR ON ROUTE 1.

NEI-THER WILL ZEO-NIC!
BUT THE ZEON REPS WON'T JUST SIT THROUGH THIS!
OH,
THEY CAN'T !
THE CITY'S NEU-TRAL.
HOW WILL THEY REACT ?


UGH.
WHAT A DAMN MESS.


SEND OUT A RES-CUE BOAT.
AND PLEASE PUT ME ON IT!
IF WE JUST STAND AROUND DOING NOTHING,
THE DOCTOR WILL NEVER MAKE IT!
WE NEED HIM
ON THE RX PROJECT, NO MATTER WHAT IT TAKES!
WE CAN'T LET THEM!
ZEON FORCES AND ZEONIC STAFF IN GRANADA WILL RACE OUT TO GET HIM BACK ANY MINUTE NOW!
THE 4000 KILOMETERS BETWEEN GRANADA AND VON BRAUN ARE TOO ARDUOUS FOR A LONE REFUGEE!
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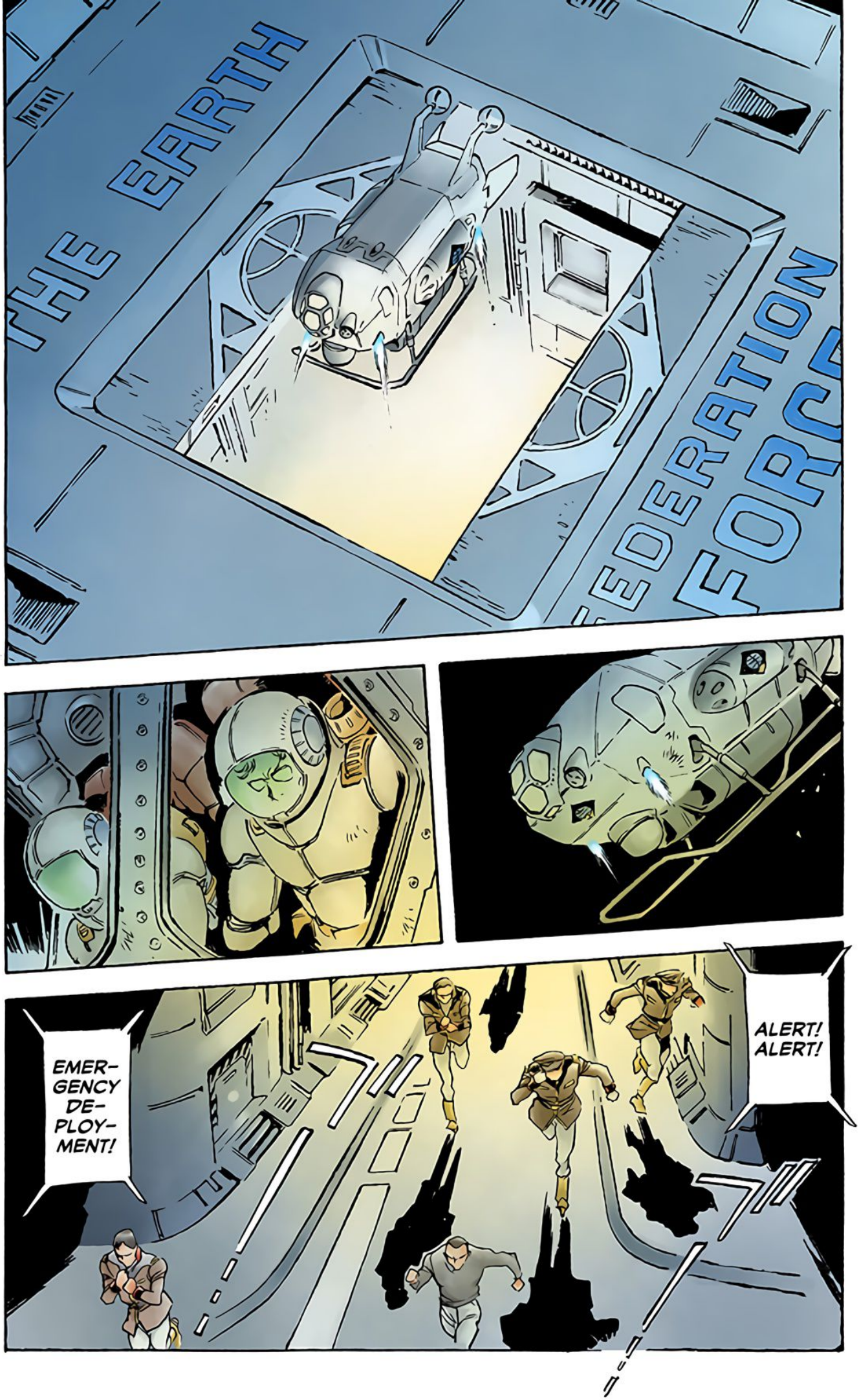
THE EARTH
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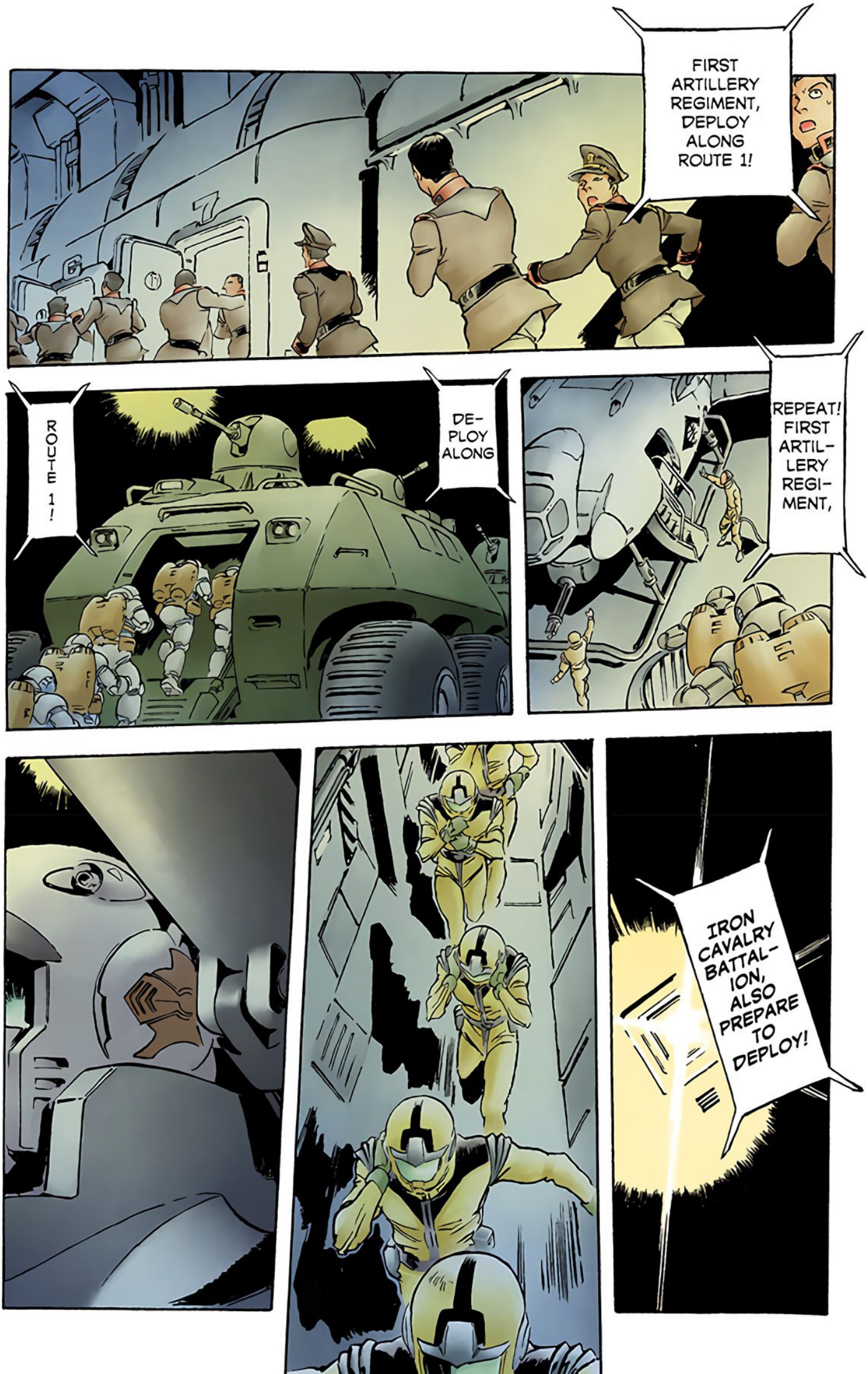
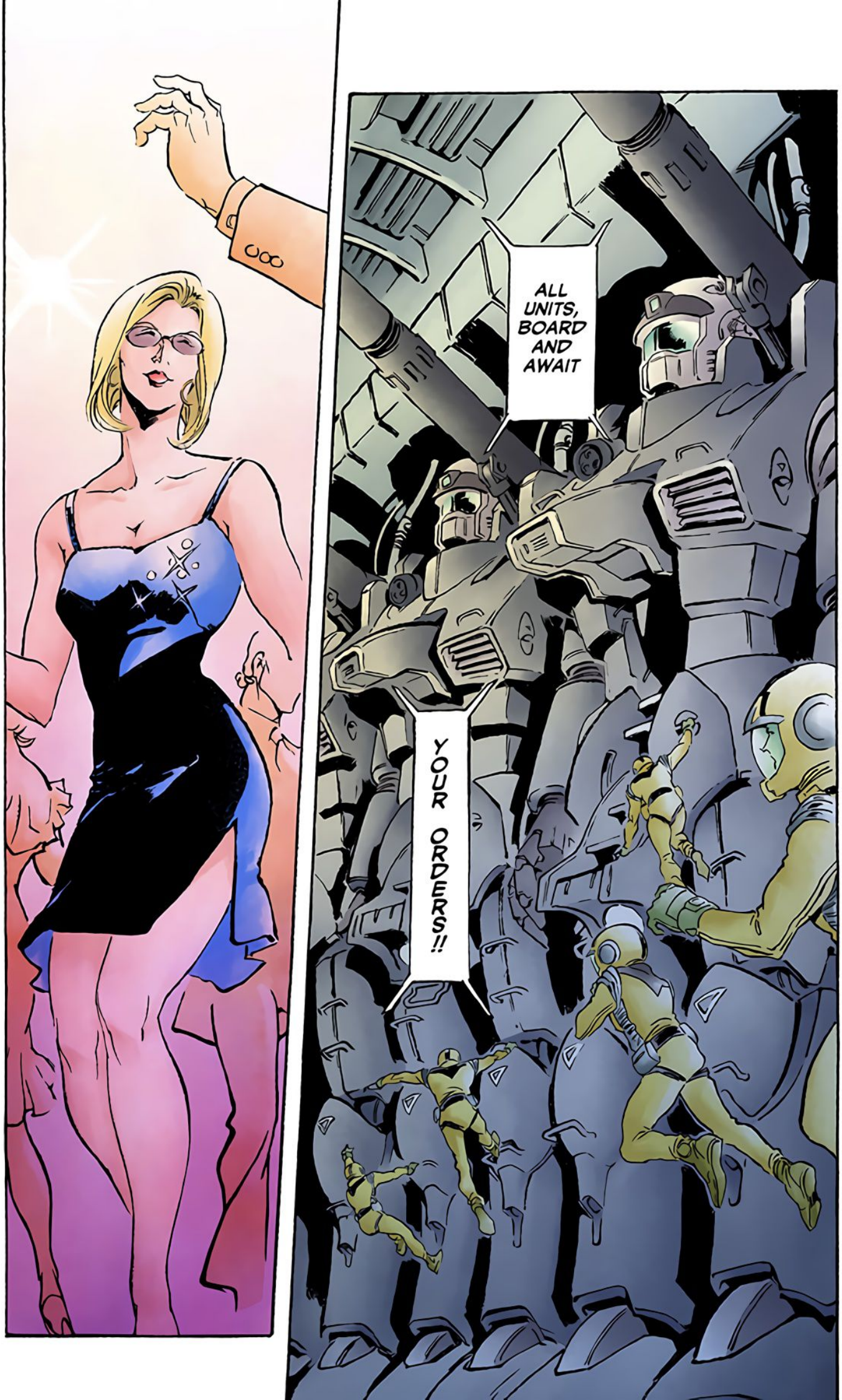
MENT!
ALERT!
ALERT!

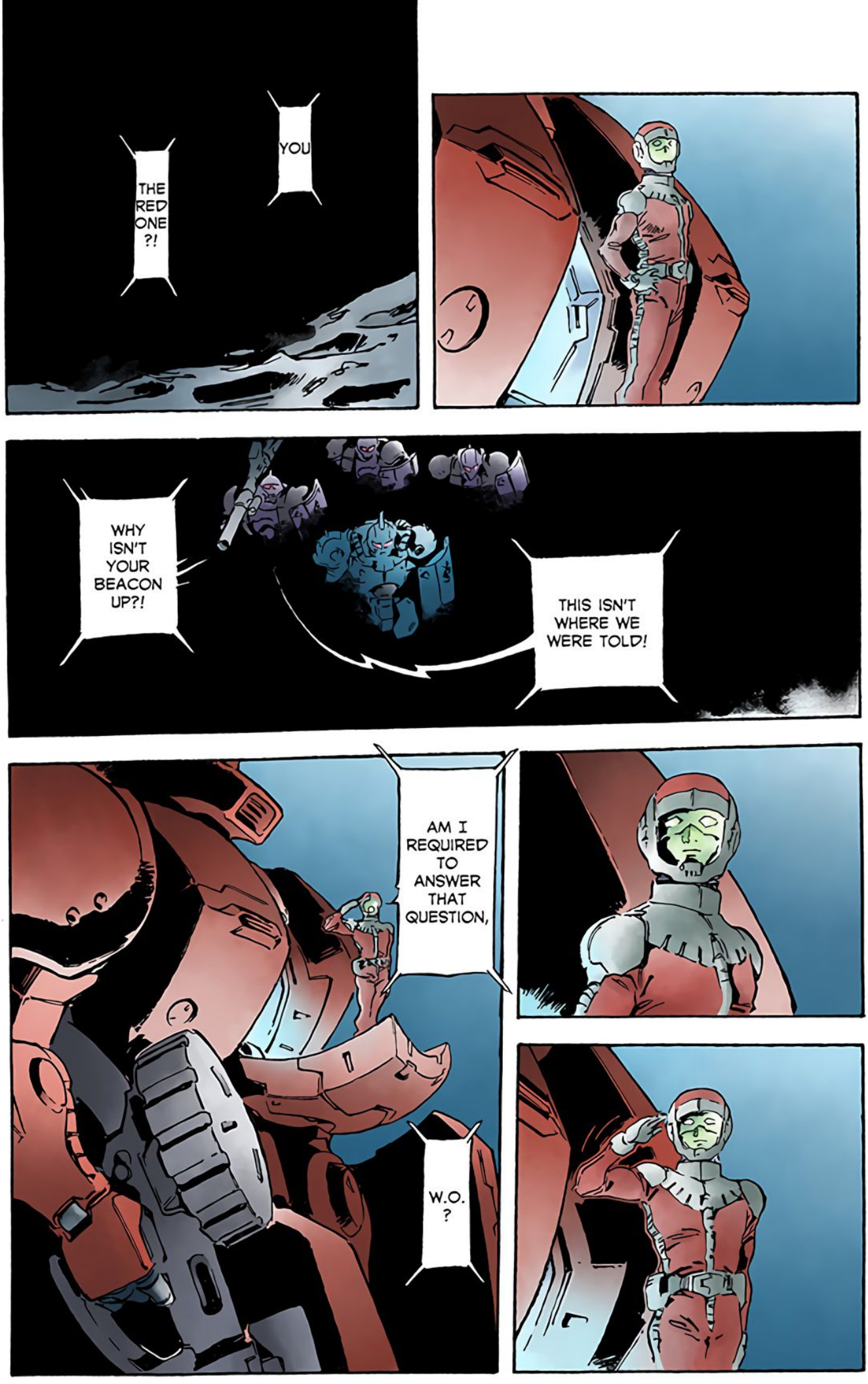

FIRST ARTILLERY REGIMENT, DEPLOY ALONG ROUTE 1!
DE-PLOY ALONG ROUTE 1!
REPEAT! FIRST ARTIL-LERY REGI-MENT,
IRON CAVALRY BATTAL-ION, ALSO PREPARE TO DEPLOY!

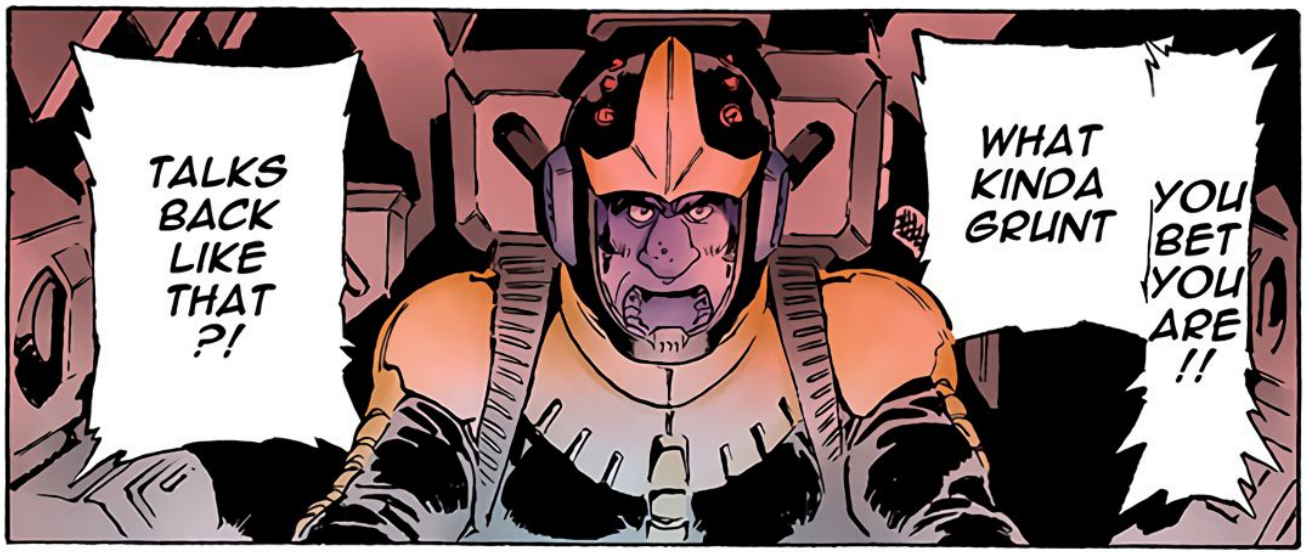

ALL UNITS, BOARD AND AWAIT
YOUR ORDERS!!

THE FED FORCES AT VON BRAUN
ARE ON THE MOVE.

LOVELY.
THEY SHOULD DEPLOY THEIR SHINY NEW
MOBILE SUIT UNIT, TOO.
THIS IS SHAPING UP TO BE A WONDERFUL NIGHT!

A LUNAR MORN-ING...
TWI-LIGHT ZONE ...

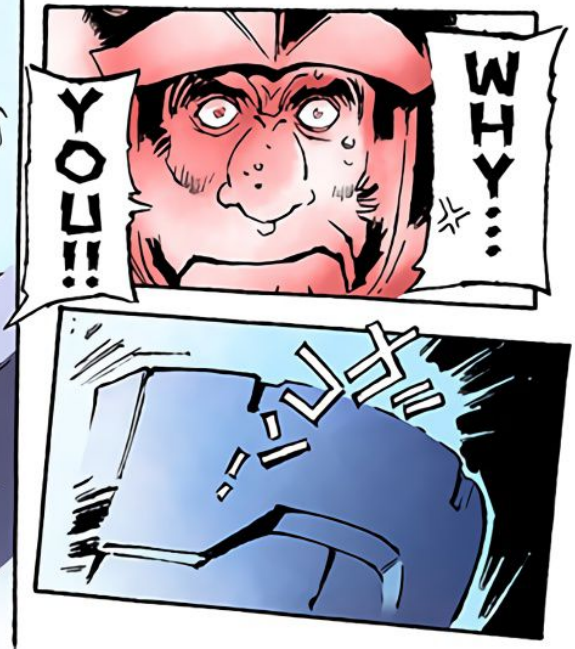

YOU
THE RED ONE ?!
WHY ISN'T YOUR BEACON UP?!
THIS ISN'T WHERE WE WERE TOLD!
AM I REQUIRED TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION,
W.O. ?

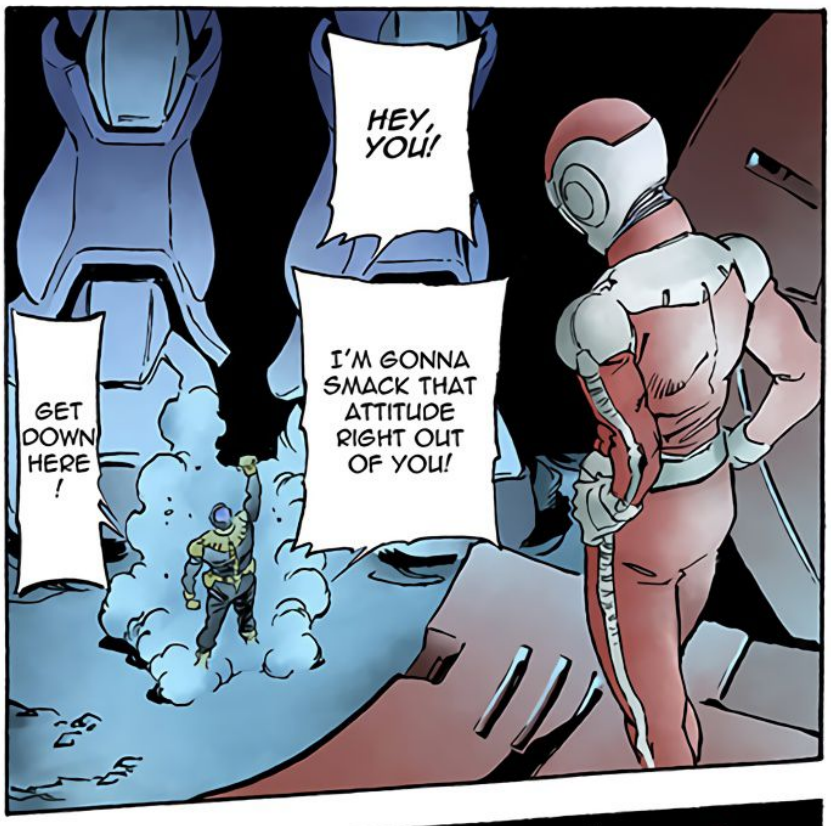

WHAT KINDA GRUNT
YOU BET YOU ARE !!
TALKS BACK LIKE THAT ?!

ORTEGA!!

WELL, SIR,
THE ENEMY WOULD DETECT A BEACON.

YOU'RE ONLY HERE, WARRANT OFFICER, BECAUSE YOU COULD EASILY
FIND ME WITH OR WITH-OUT ONE.


WHY...
YOU!!


HEY, YOU!
I'M GONNA SMACK THAT ATTITUDE RIGHT OUT OF YOU!
GET DOWN HERE!

BUT YOU JUMPED DOWN YOURSELF, SIR.
DON'T STAND THERE SMIRKING DOWN AT A SUPERIOR OFFICER!!
YOU LI'L JERK!
IT MIGHT BE A GOOD IDEA TO GET BACK UP.

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THE "RABBIT" IS HERE.
QUIET.
HM?
...
?!
I'LL GET A VISUAL TO MAKE SURE.
WAIT.
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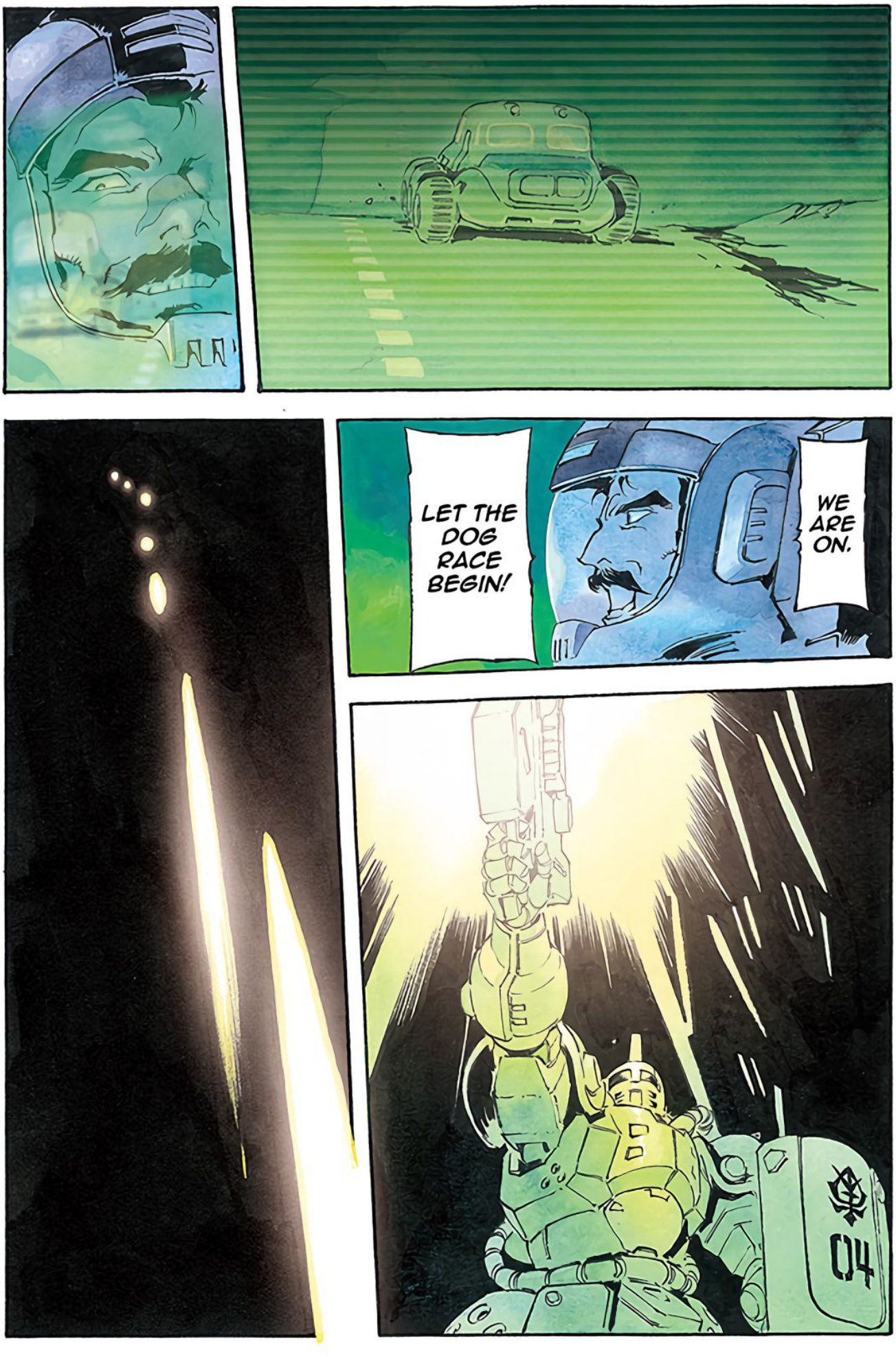
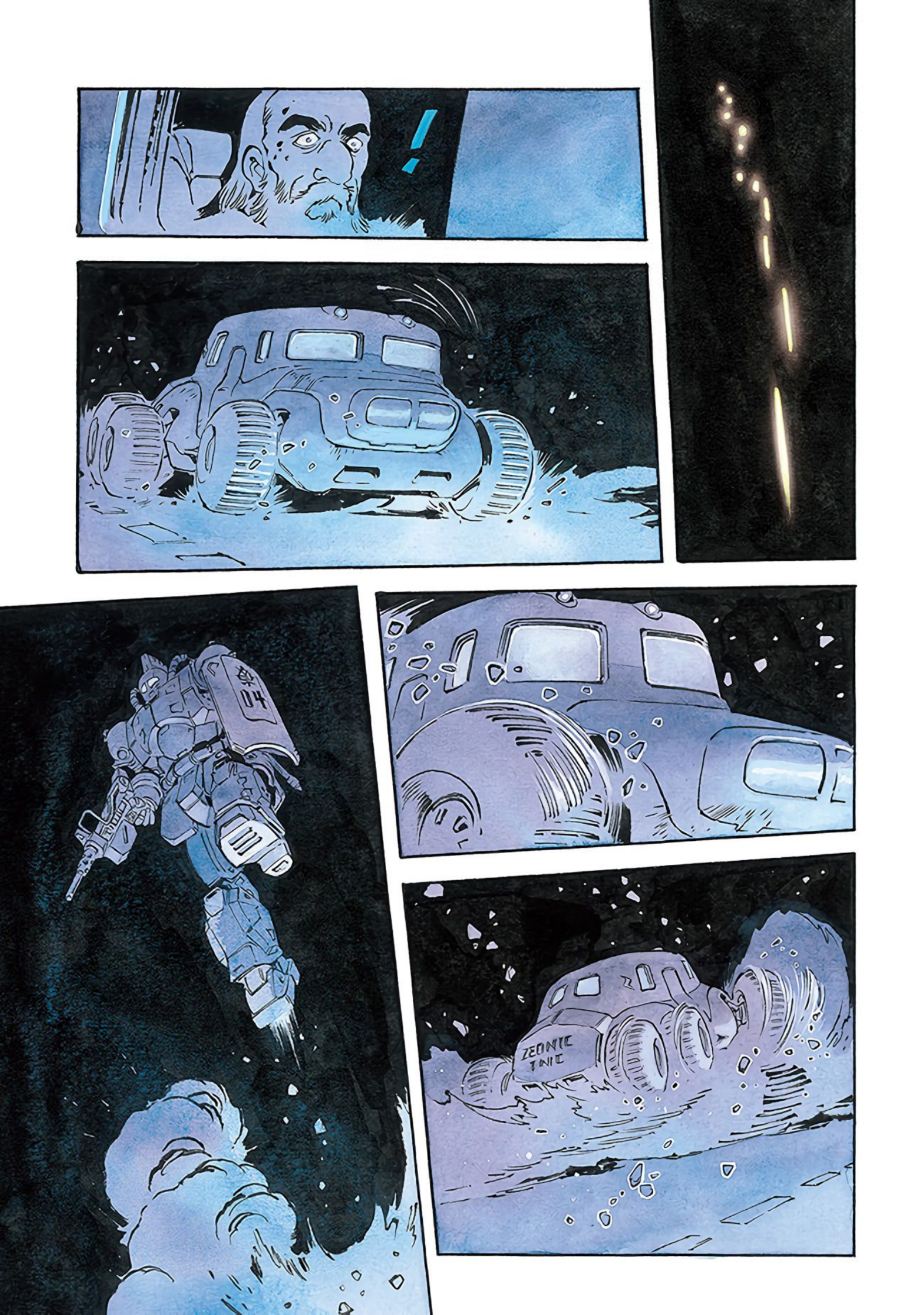

LET THE DOG RACE BEGIN!
WE ARE ON.
04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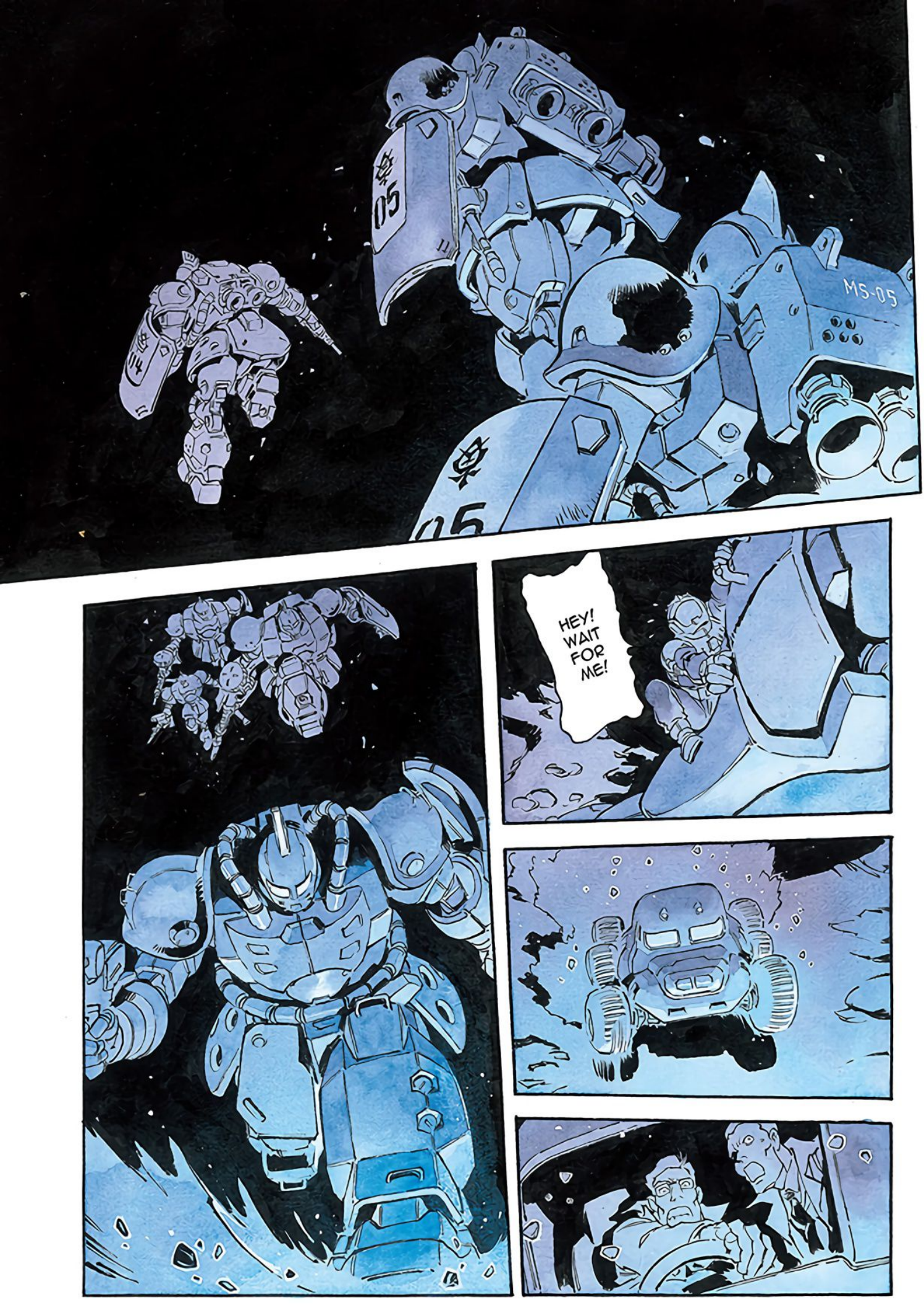
ZEONIC
TANK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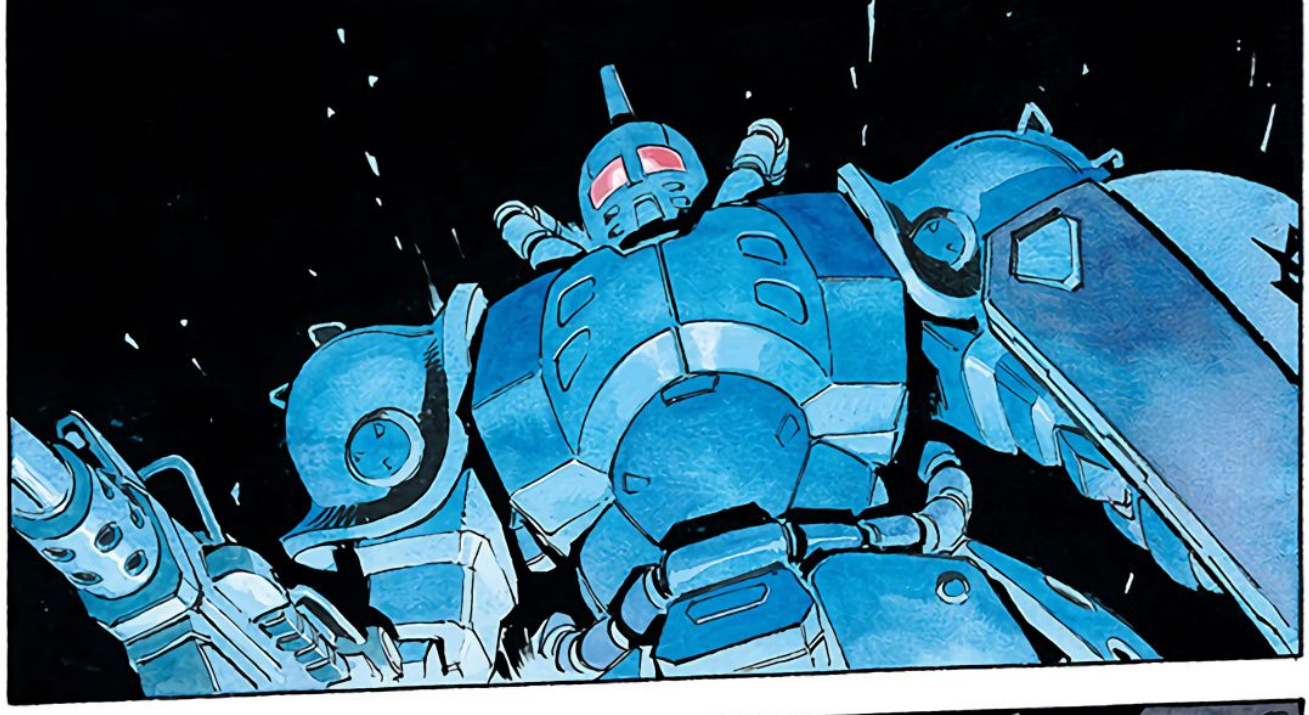
HEY! WAIT FOR ME!



SECTION
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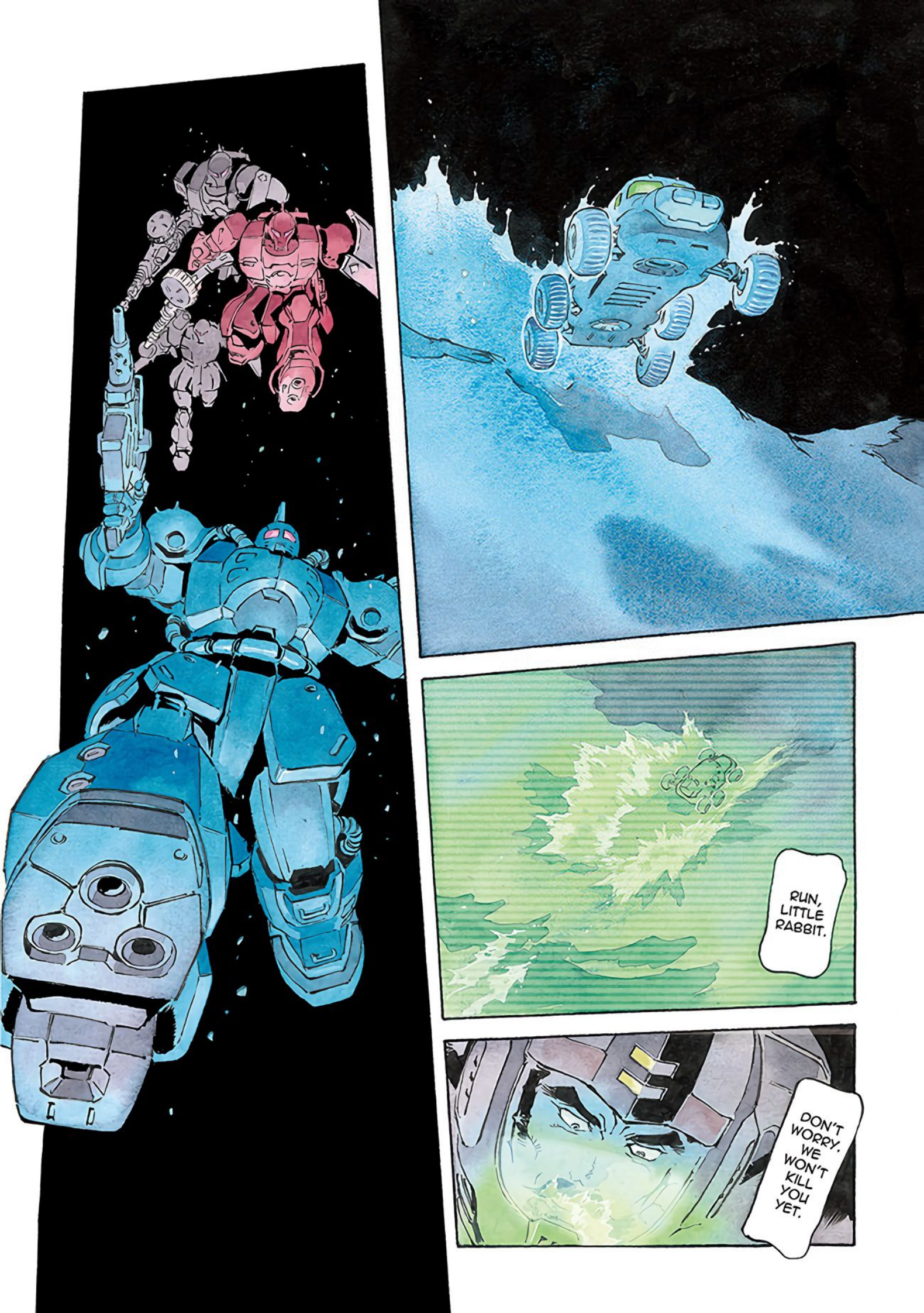
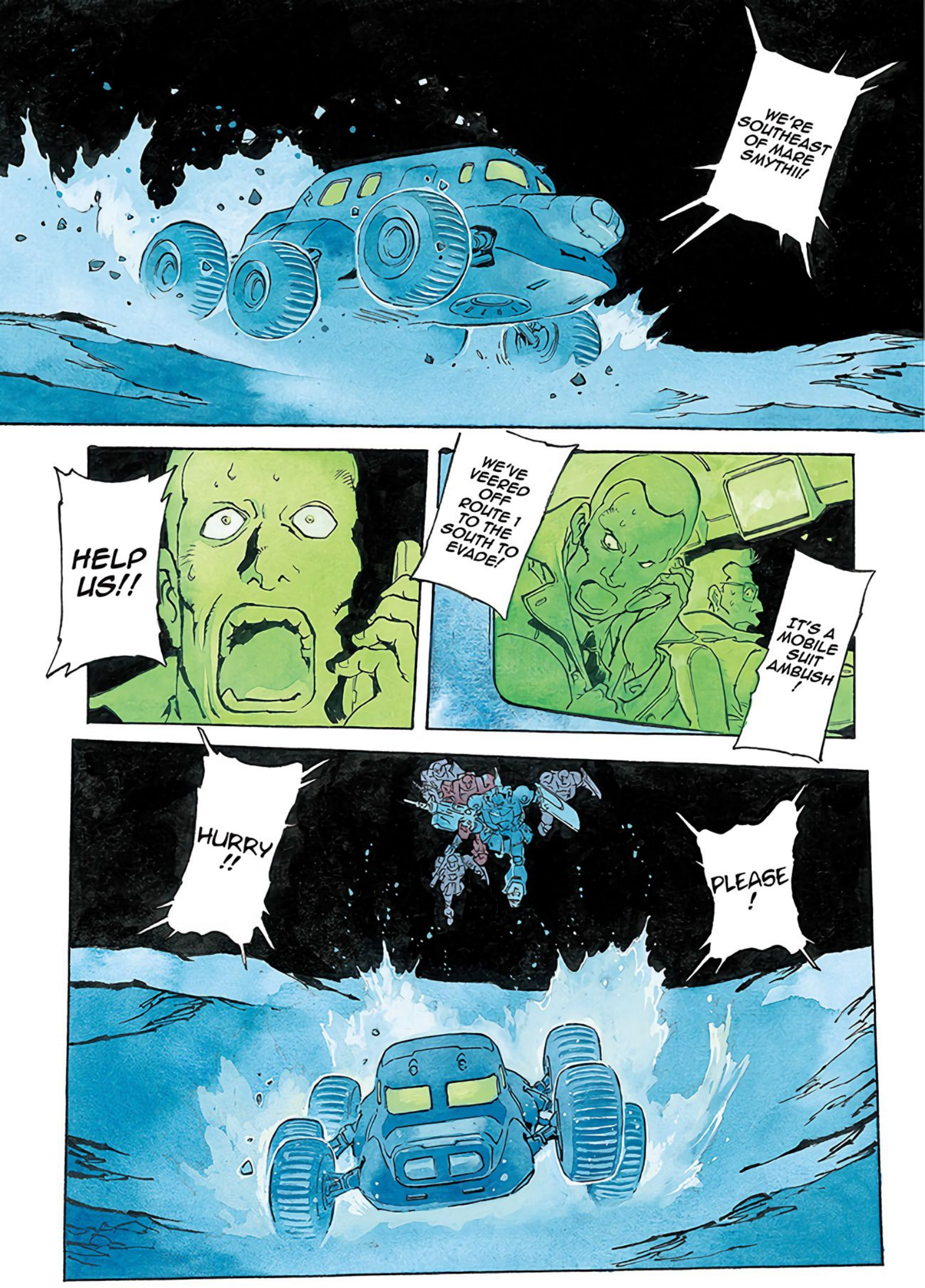
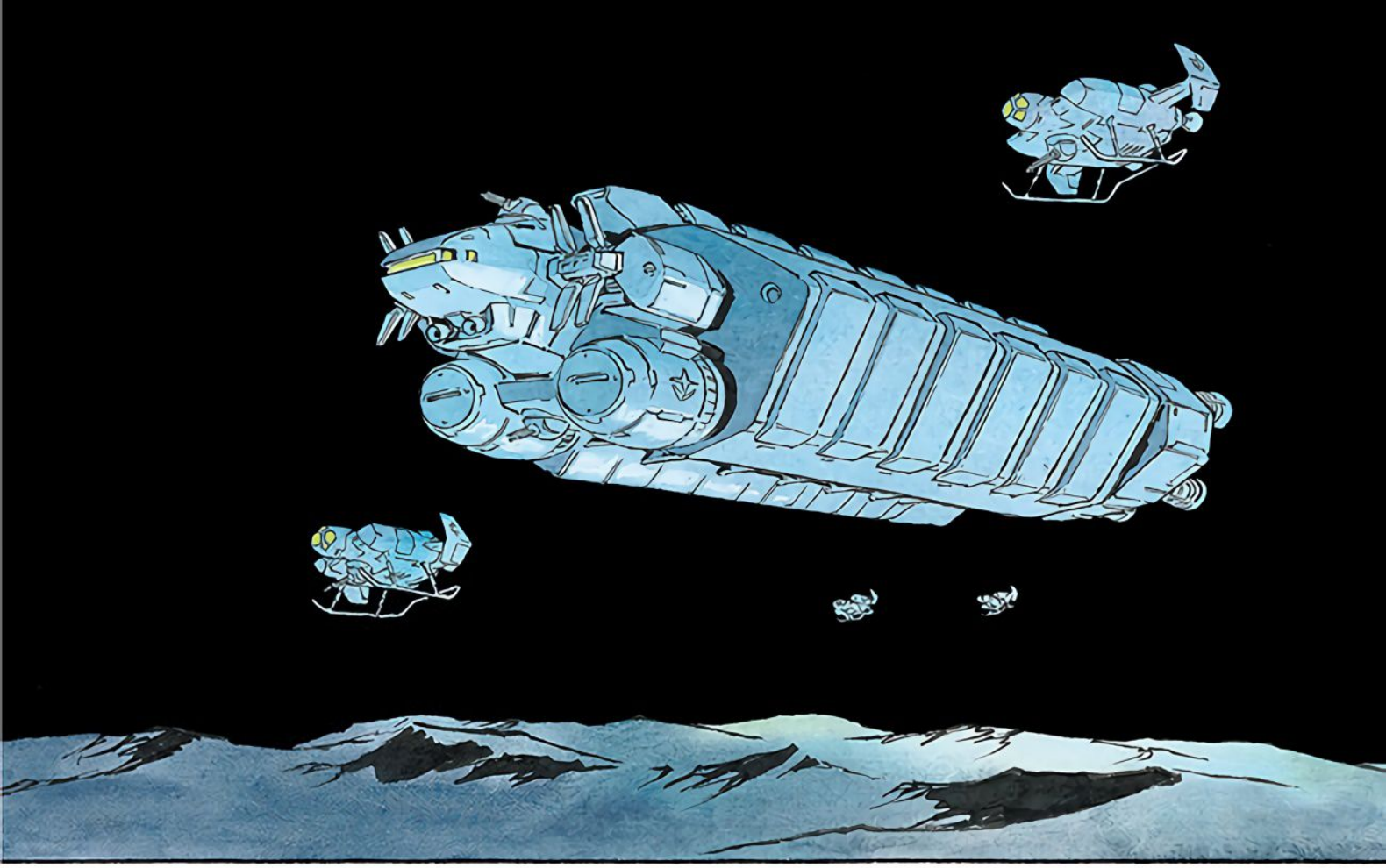
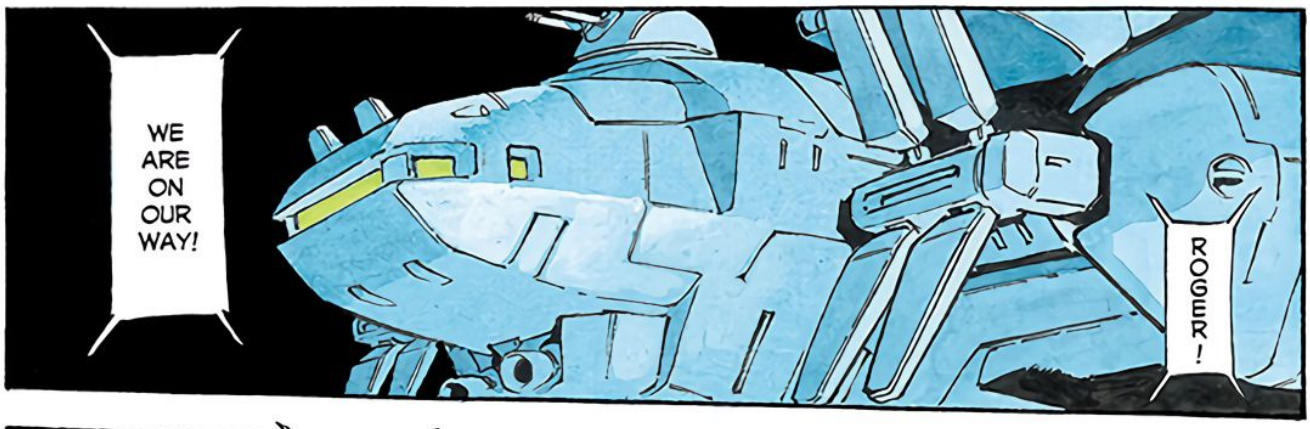
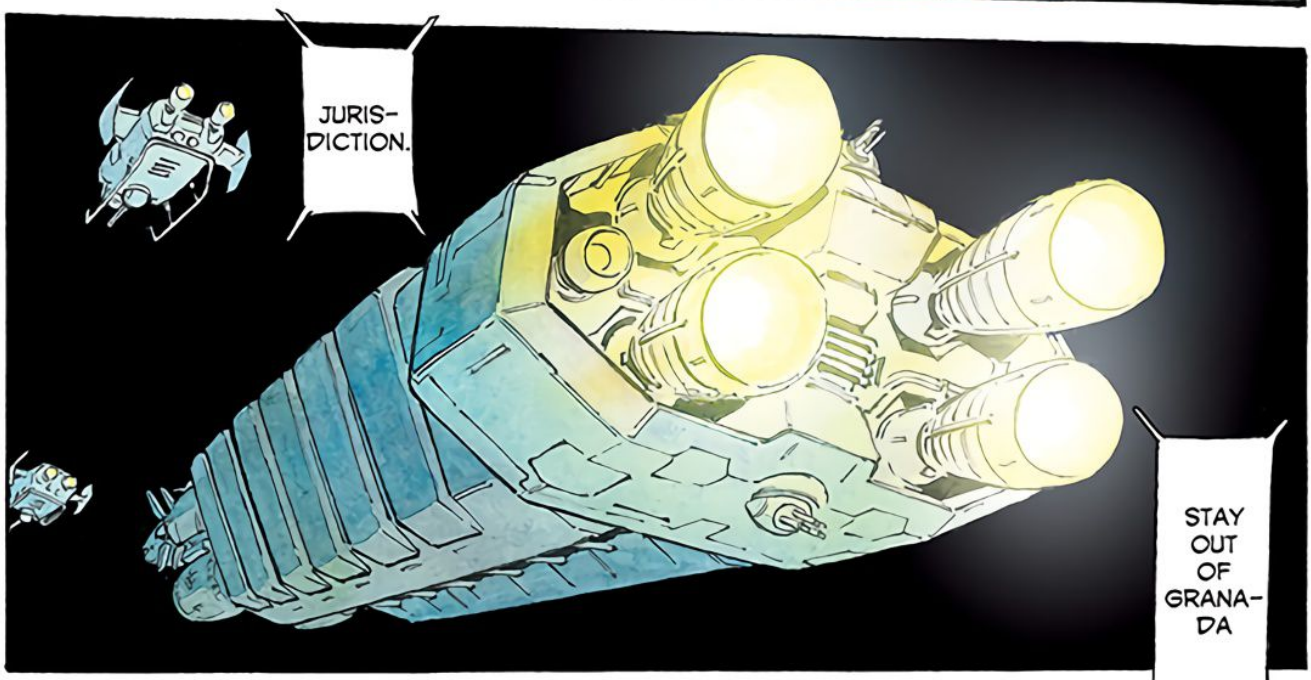

RUN, LITTLE RABBIT.
DON'T WORRY. WE WON'T KILL YOU YET.

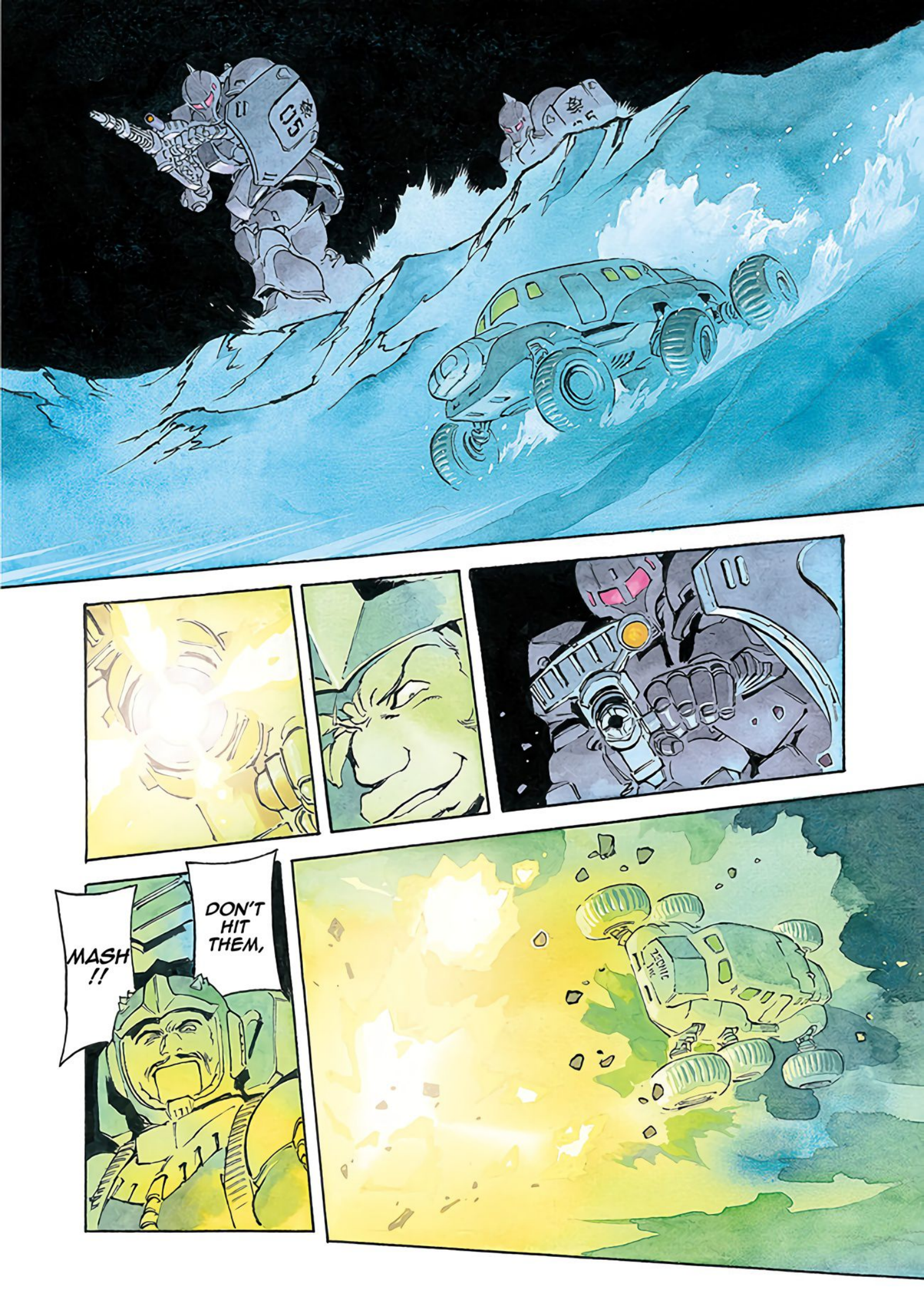

WE'RE SOUTHEAST OF MARE SMYTH!!!
HELP US!!
WE'VE VEERED OFF ROUTE 1 TO THE SOUTH TO EVADE!
IT'S A MOBILE SUIT AMBUSH!
HURRY!!
PLEASE!




WE ARE ON OUR WAY!
ROGER!


JURIS-DICTION.
STAY OUT OF GRANA-DA

JUST IN CASE!
PLEASE PUT ON THIS NORMAL SUIT!
SIR!
IT'S NO USE.
Huh?!
WHAT DID YOU SAY?!
DOC-TOR!
WE WON'T GET AWAY!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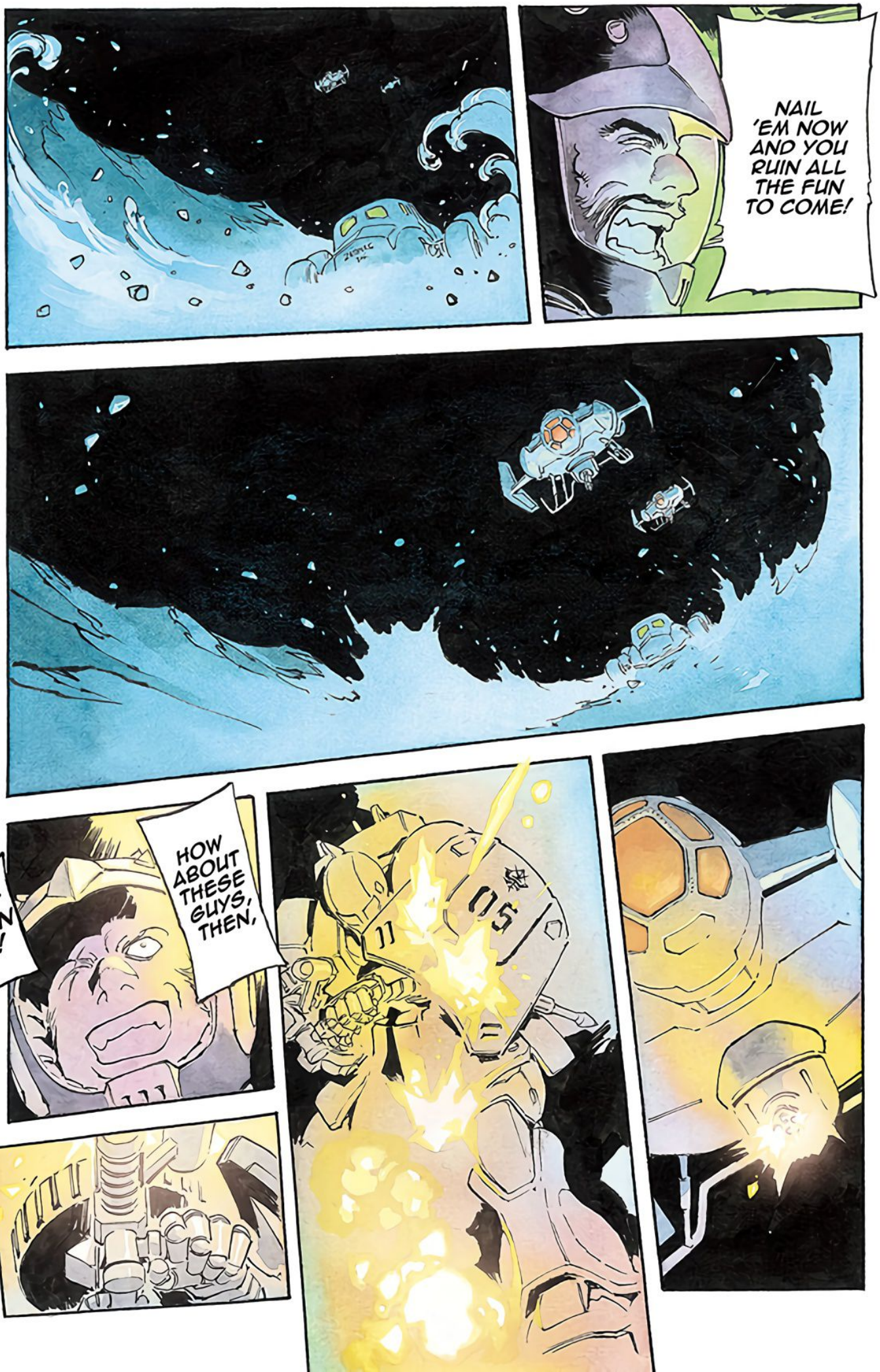
DON'T HIT THEM,
MASH !!


NAIL 'EM NOW AND YOU RUIN ALL THE FUN TO COME!
EN-SIGN?!
HOW ABOUT THESE GUYS, THEN,

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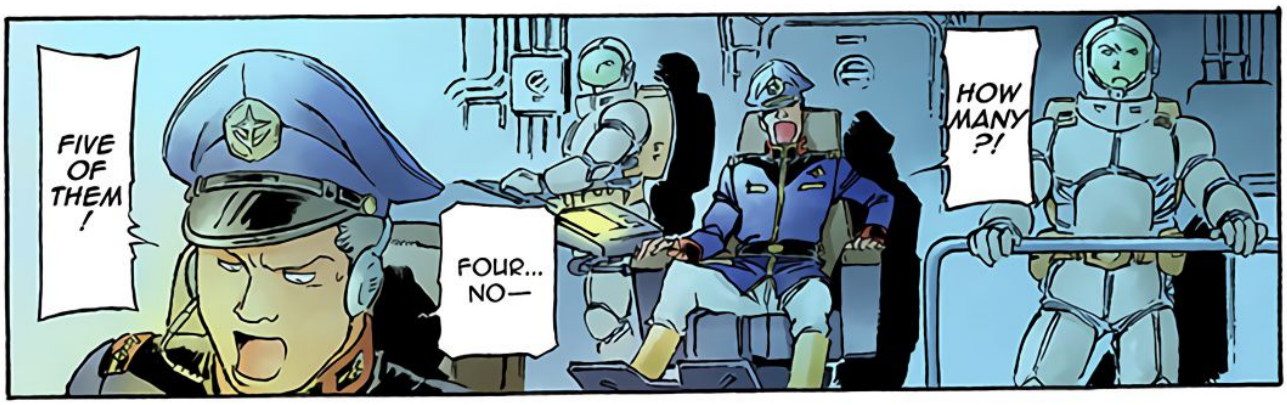
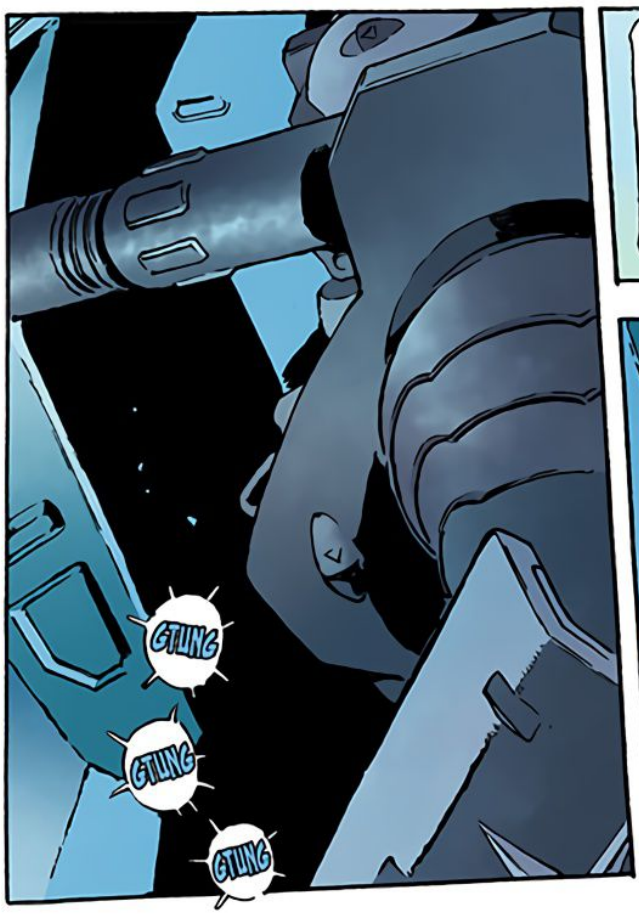
LIVE FIRE SIGHTED, 50 KM AHEAD!

WE'VE FOUND THE VEHI-CLE!
ON ITS TAIL ARE WHAT LOOK LIKE MOBILE SUITS!


HOW MANY?!
FOUR... NO—
FIVE OF THEM!


GTLING
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THIS IS OUR MAIDEN BATTLE... MIGHT AS WELL CRUSH THEM!
WITH SO FEW THEY ARE NO MATCH FOR US, BUT

GTLING

ALL UNITS, SORTIE!!

GTUNG
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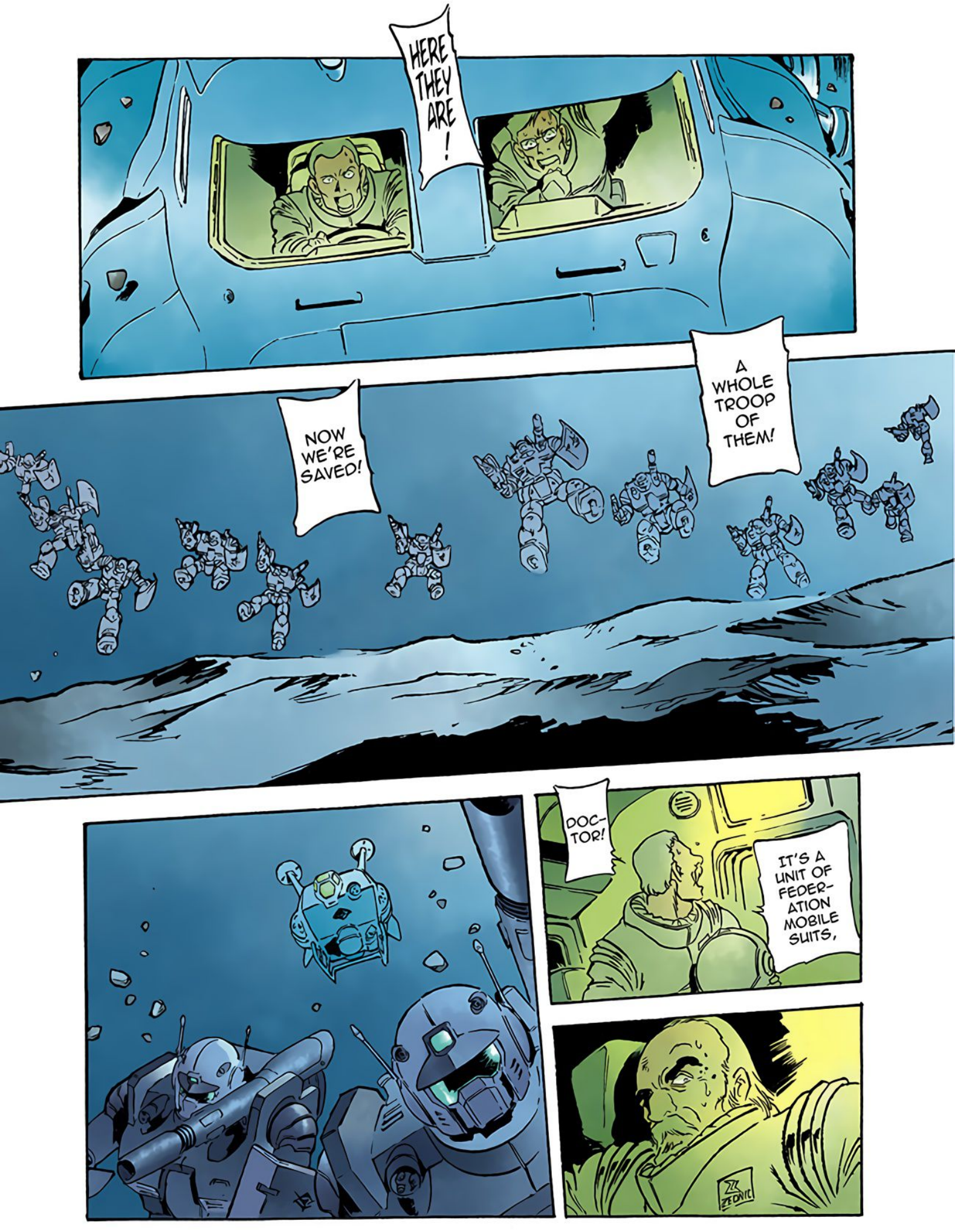
HERE THEY ARE!
NOW WE'RE SAVED!
A WHOLE TROOP OF THEM!
DOC-TOR!
IT'S A UNIT OF FEDER-ATION MOBILE SUITS,
ZEONIC

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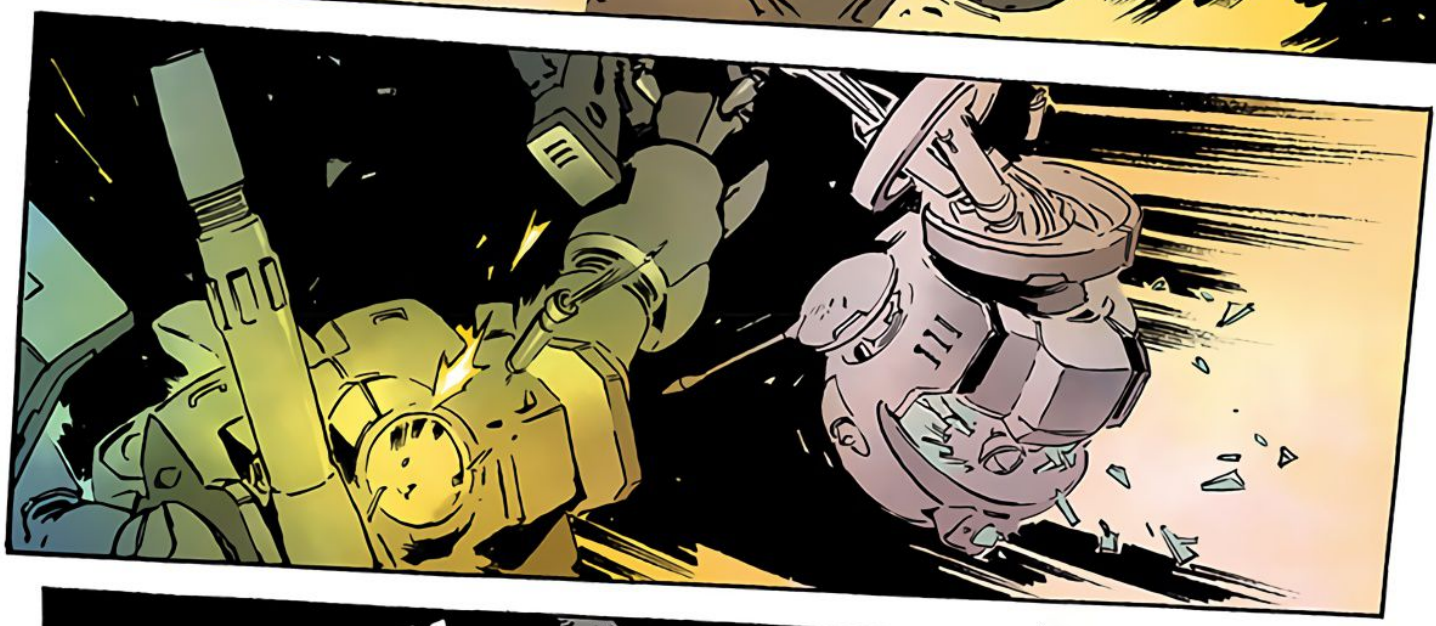
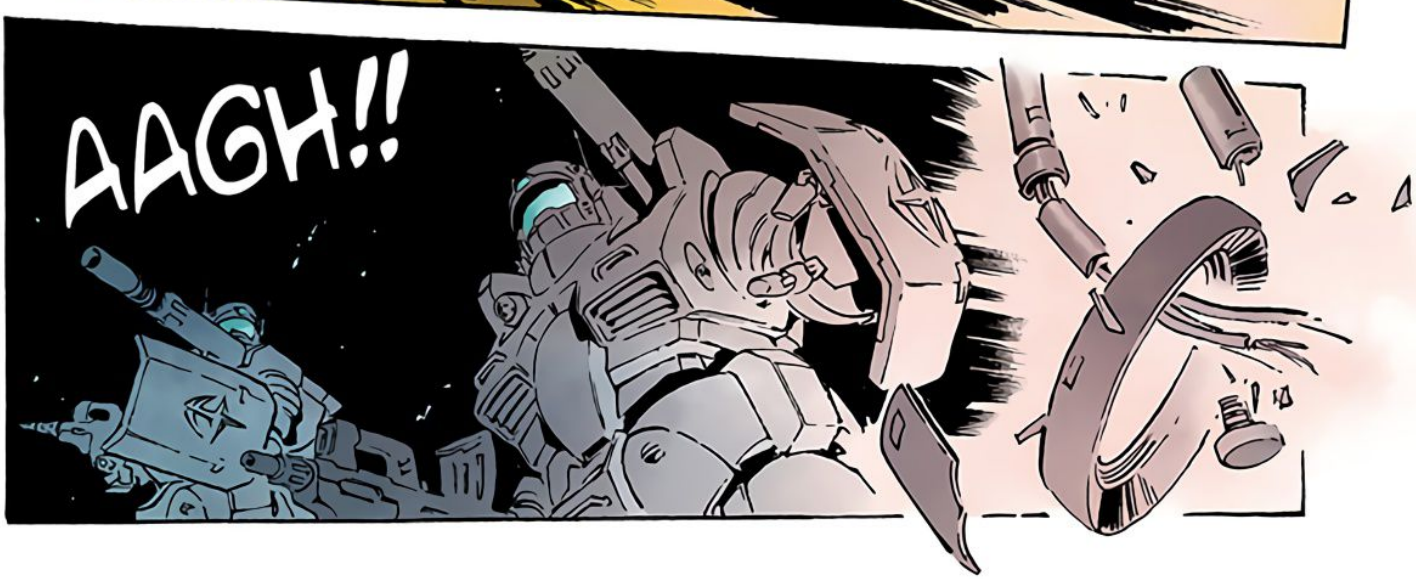
ズジャ
ジャコオン…

TARGETS, 5! DIS-TANCE, 400!
HIT THEM WITH A VOLLEY!
WE WILL SMASH THE ENEMY MOBILE SUITS GIVING CHASE!
PROTECT THE DOCTOR'S CAR!
FIRE!!




AAGH!!

WHOA
KLIK
KLIK
AAA GH!
AAH
05

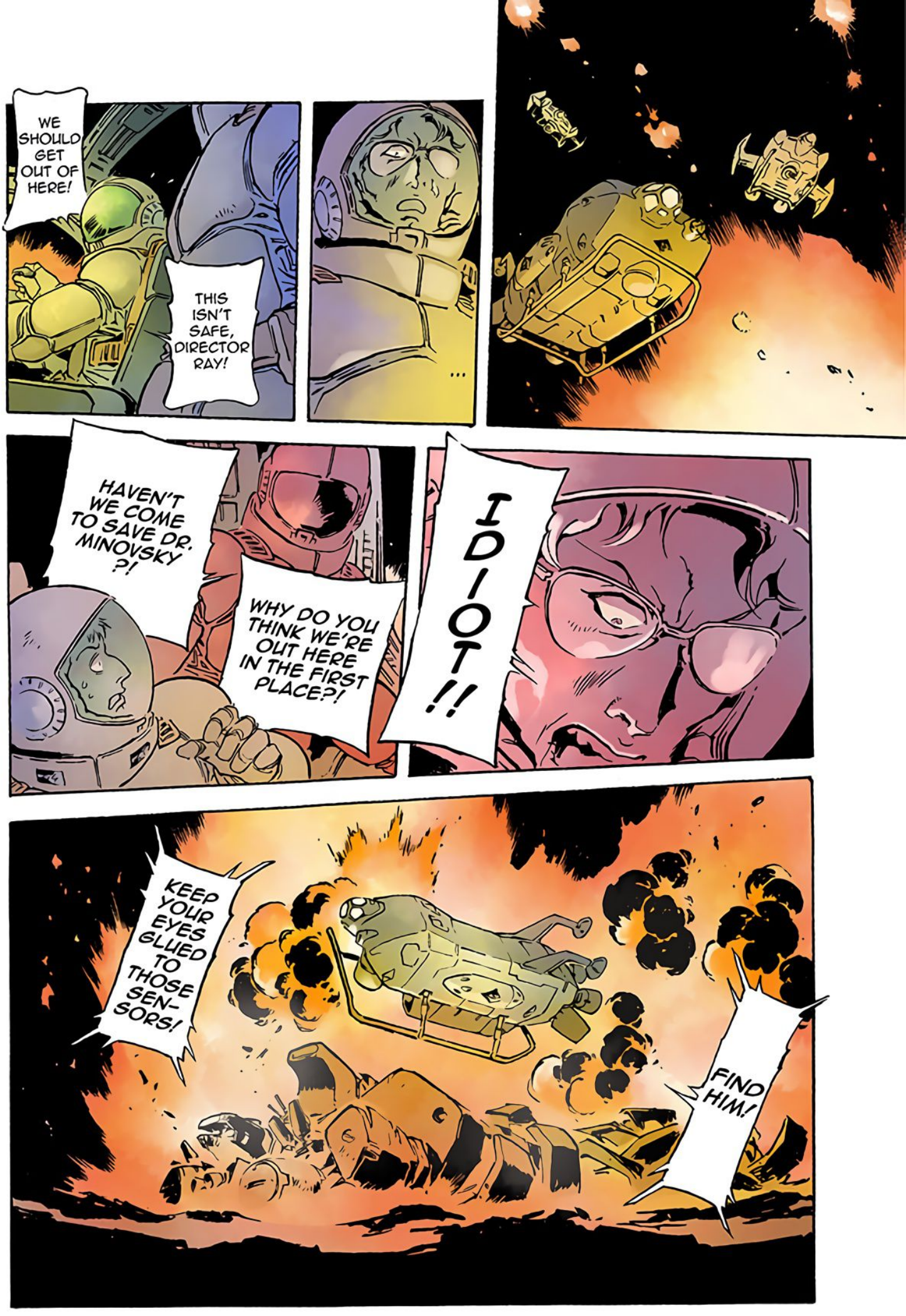
FZZT
I SEE YOU'RE NOT HALF BAD.
RED ONE.
HEY!

HOLD YOUR OWN AGAINST ME!!
YOU MIGHT EVEN BE ABLE TO
BAM !
WHANG !
GA-TUNG
05

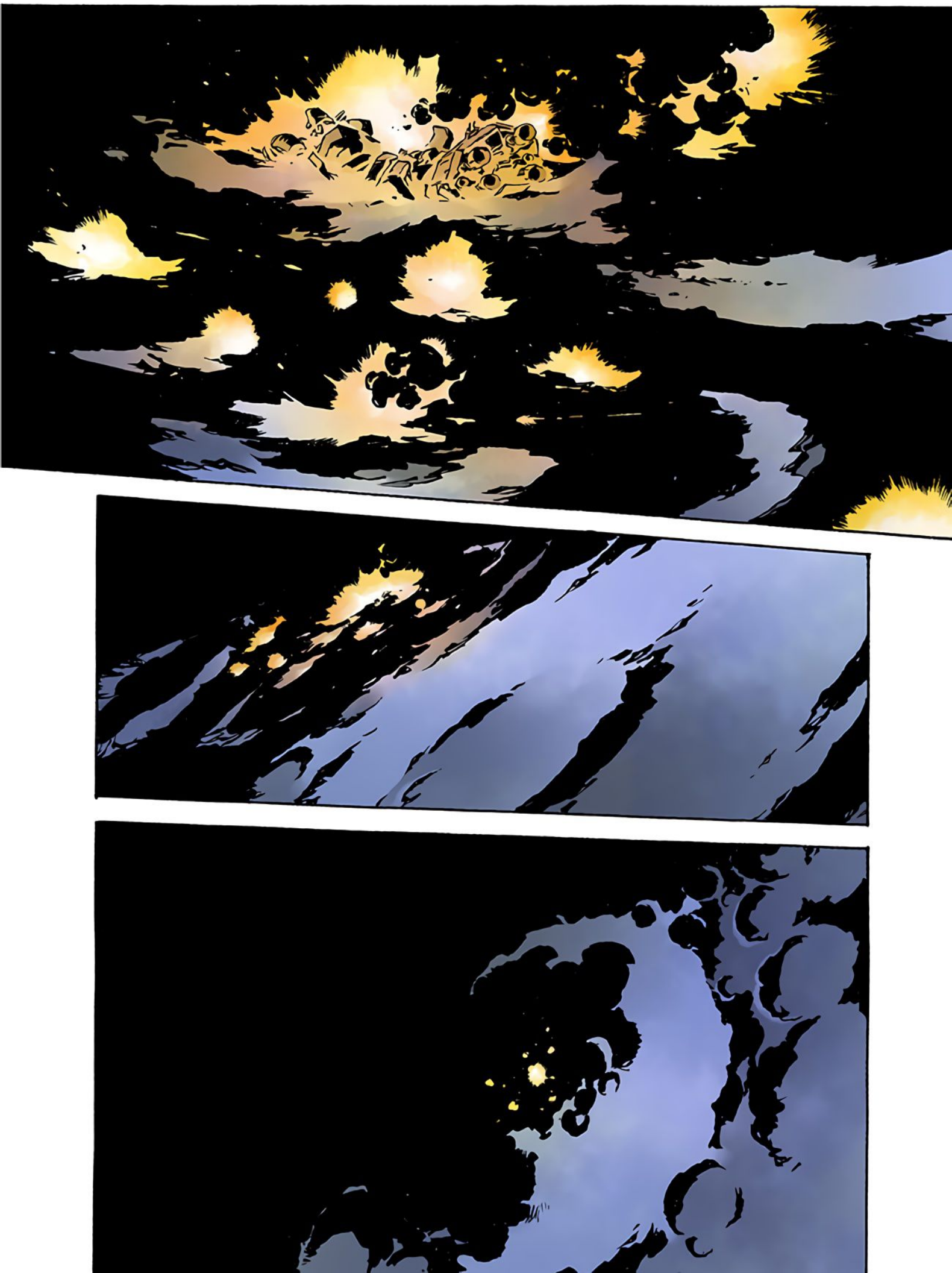
05
04
ZEONIC
INC

THIS...
LOPSIDED?
NO!
WE'RE GONNA LOSE ALL OF THEM!
RETRIEVE AND RETREAT!
WE NEED TO FALL BACK!

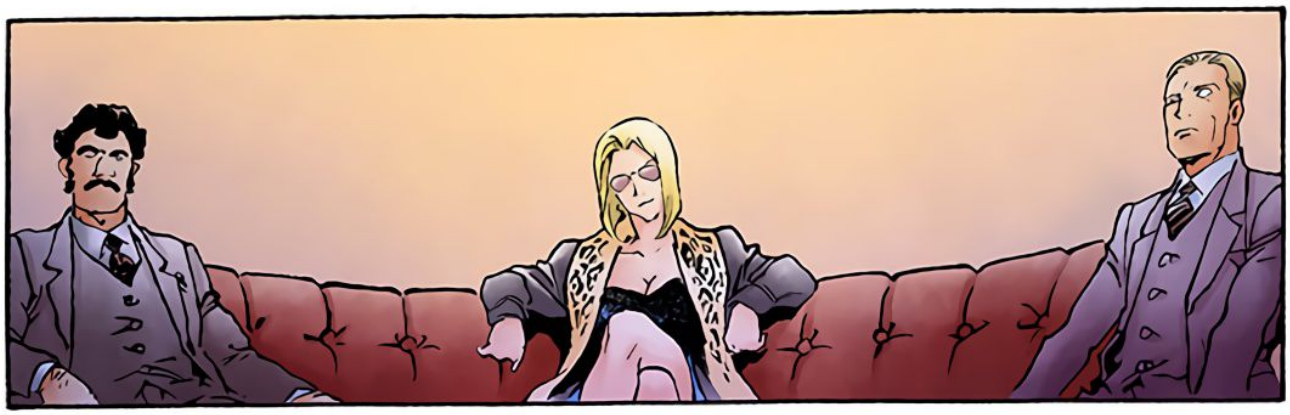
TAKE IT!
I SAVED THIS SHOT JUST FOR YOU!
NONE OF YOU ARE GOING HOME ALIVE!

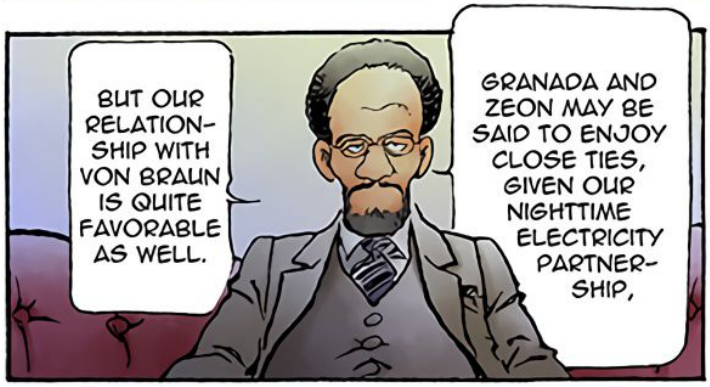

WE SHOULD GET OUT OF HERE!
THIS ISN'T SAFE, DIRECTOR RAY!
...
HAVEN'T WE COME TO SAVE DR. MINOVSKY ?!
WHY DO YOU THINK WE'RE OUT HERE IN THE FIRST PLACE?!
IDIOT!!
KEEP YOUR EYES GLUED TO THOSE SEN-SORS!
FIND HIM!

JUST KEEP LOOK-ING!
DON'T YOU DARE GIVE UP!
THE IN-FRARED SENSOR WON'T WORK IN ALL THIS!
THERE'S HEAT ALL OVER THE FIELD!



B2 Clint McNight
B1




BUT OUR RELATION-SHIP WITH VON BRAUN IS QUITE FAVORABLE AS WELL.
GRANADA AND ZEON MAY BE SAID TO ENJOY CLOSE TIES, GIVEN OUR NIGHTTIME ELECTRICITY PARTNER-SHIP,

I
FEAR I CANNOT ANSWER AT THIS TIME.

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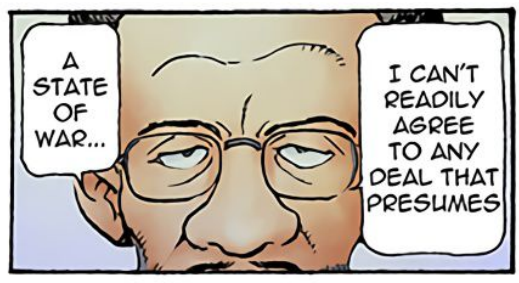
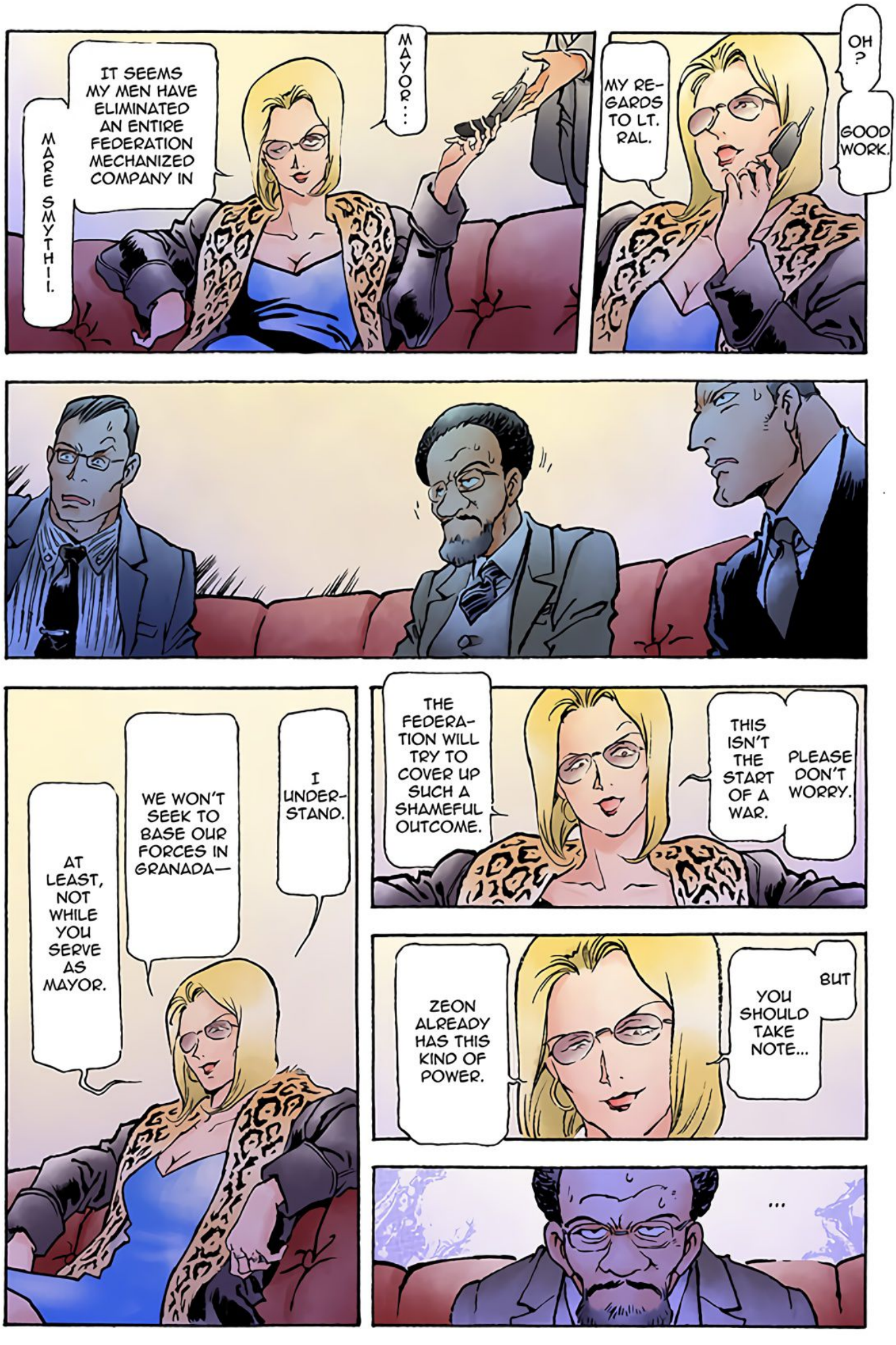

A STATE OF WAR...
I CAN'T READILY AGREE TO ANY DEAL THAT PRESUMES


MAYOR...
IT SEEMS MY MEN HAVE ELIMINATED AN ENTIRE FEDERATION MECHANIZED COMPANY IN MARE SMYTHII.
OH?
GOOD WORK.
MY REGARDS TO LT. RAL.
I UNDERSTAND.
WE WON'T SEEK TO BASE OUR FORCES IN GRANADA—
AT LEAST, NOT WHILE YOU SERVE AS MAYOR.
THE FEDERATION WILL TRY TO COVER UP SUCH A SHAMEFUL OUTCOME.
PLEASE DON'T WORRY. THIS ISN'T THE START OF A WAR.
ZEON ALREADY HAS THIS KIND OF POWER.
BUT YOU SHOULD TAKE NOTE...
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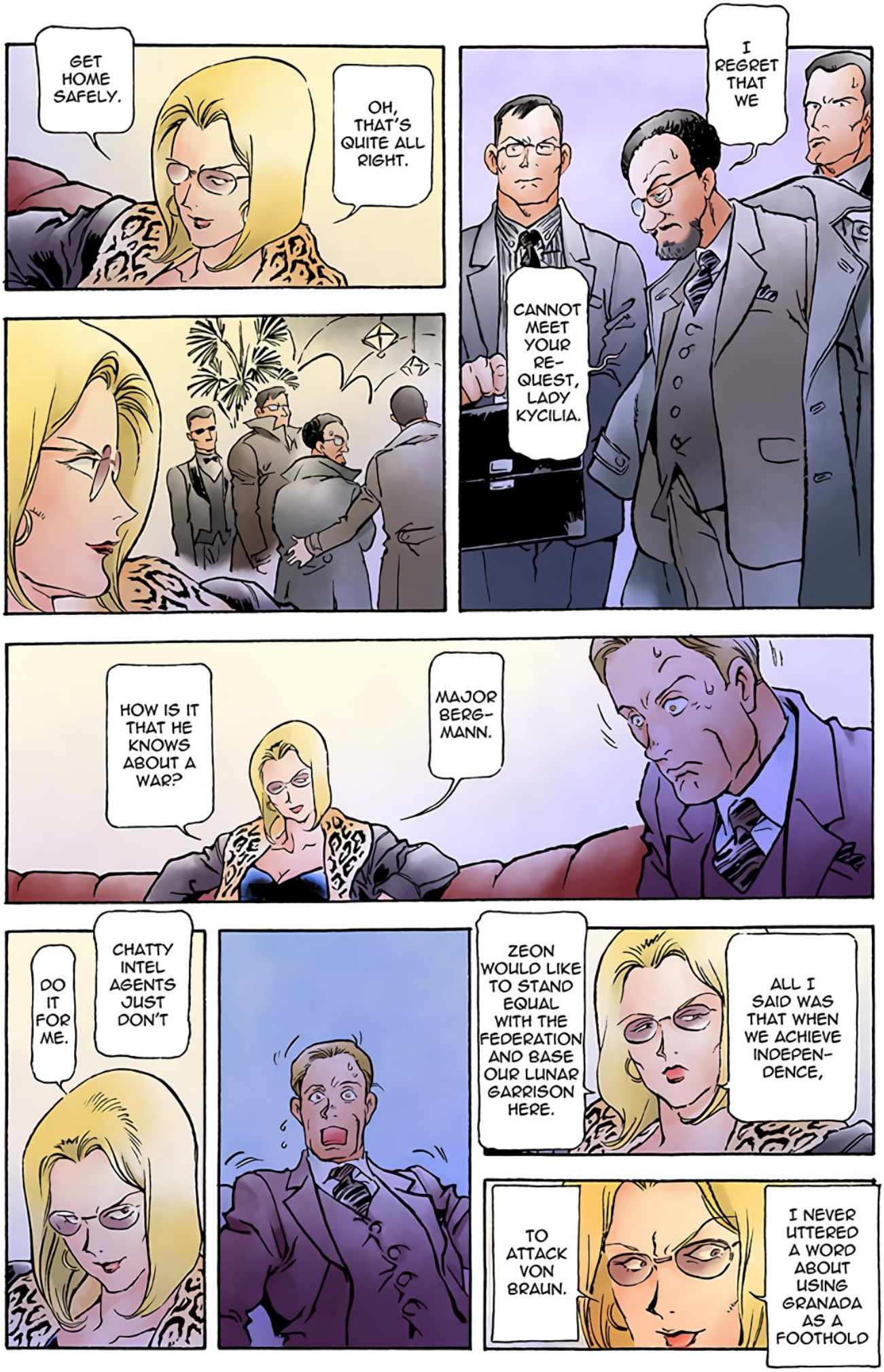
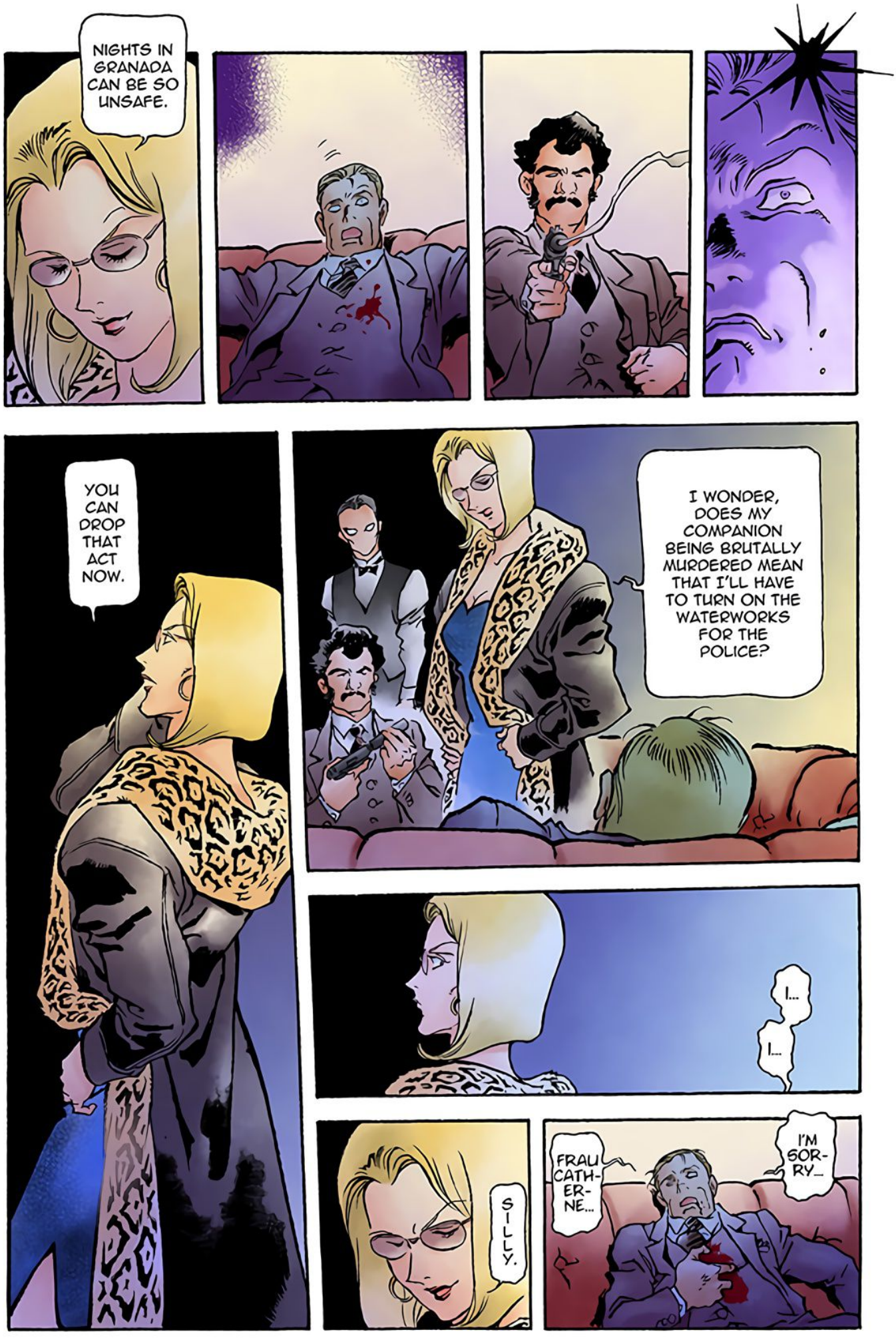

GET HOME SAFELY.
OH, THAT'S QUITE ALL RIGHT.
I REGRET THAT WE
CANNOT MEET YOUR RE-QUEST, LADY KYCILIA.
HOW IS IT THAT HE KNOWS ABOUT A WAR?
MAJOR BERG-MANN.
CHATTY INTEL AGENTS JUST DON'T
DO IT FOR ME.
ZEON WOULD LIKE TO STAND EQUAL WITH THE FEDERATION AND BASE OUR LUNAR GARRISON HERE.
ALL I SAID WAS THAT WHEN WE ACHIEVE INDEPEN-DENCE,
TO ATTACK VON BRAUN.
I NEVER UTTERED A WORD ABOUT USING GRANADA AS A FOOTHOLD


NIGHTS IN GRANADA CAN BE SO UNSAFE.
YOU CAN DROP THAT ACT NOW.
I WONDER, DOES MY COMPANION BEING BRUTALLY MURDERED MEAN THAT I'LL HAVE TO TURN ON THE WATERWORKS FOR THE POLICE?
I...
I...
SILLY.
FRAU CATH-ER-NE...
I'M SOR-RY...

ANAHEIM

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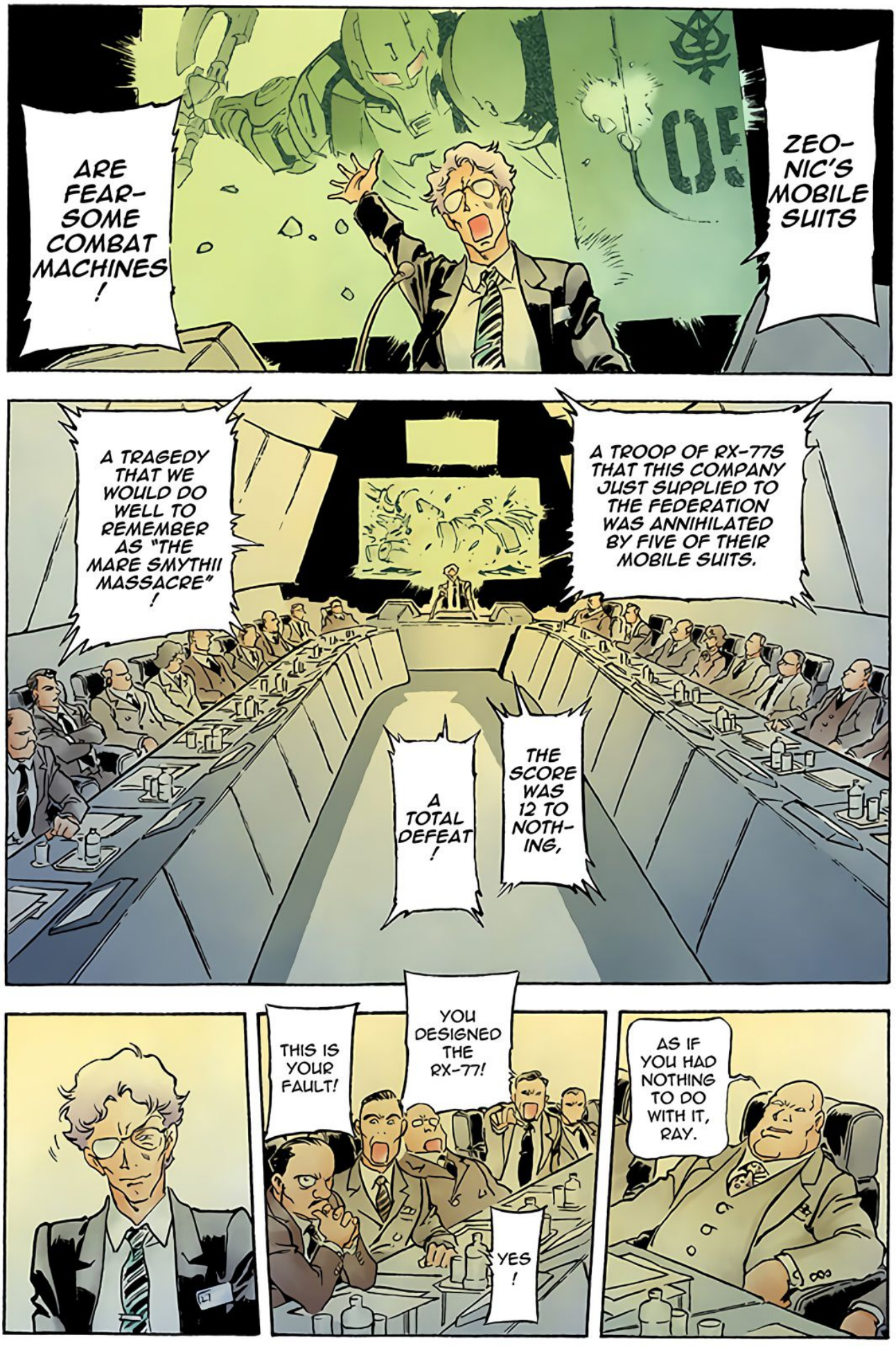
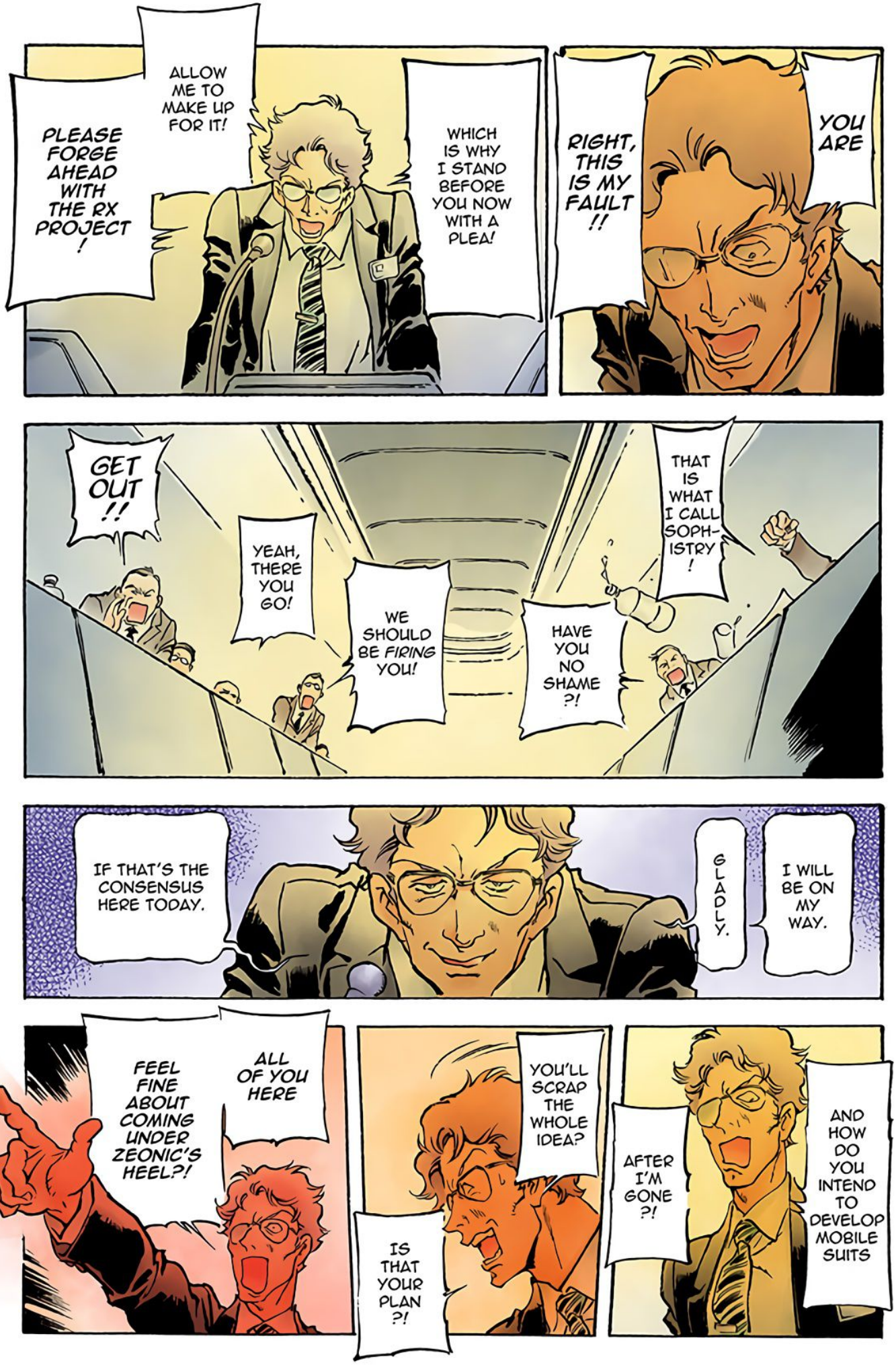
Mayor Dies in Accident

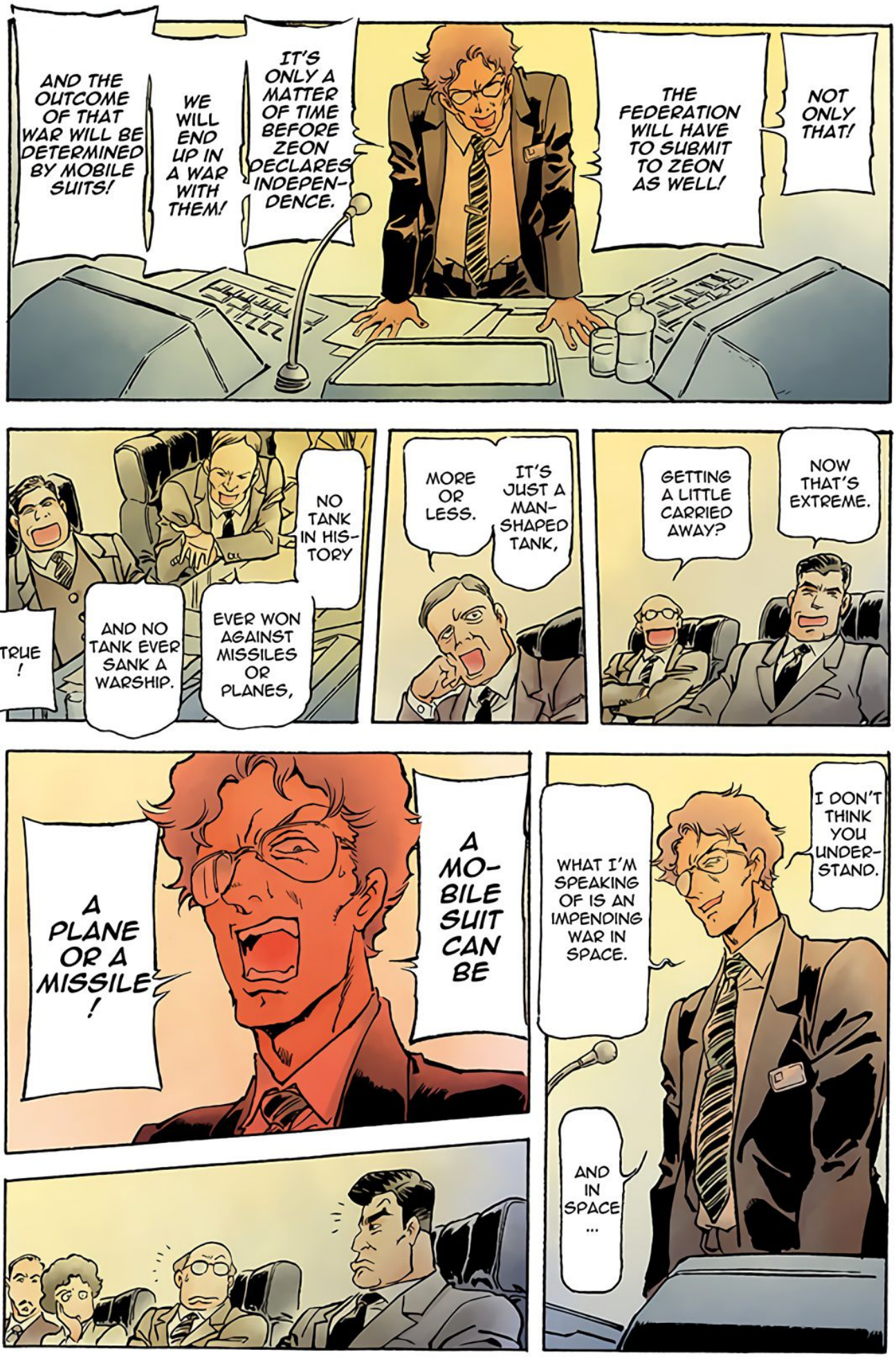
Plunge from Overpass at Night
Reckless Driving?

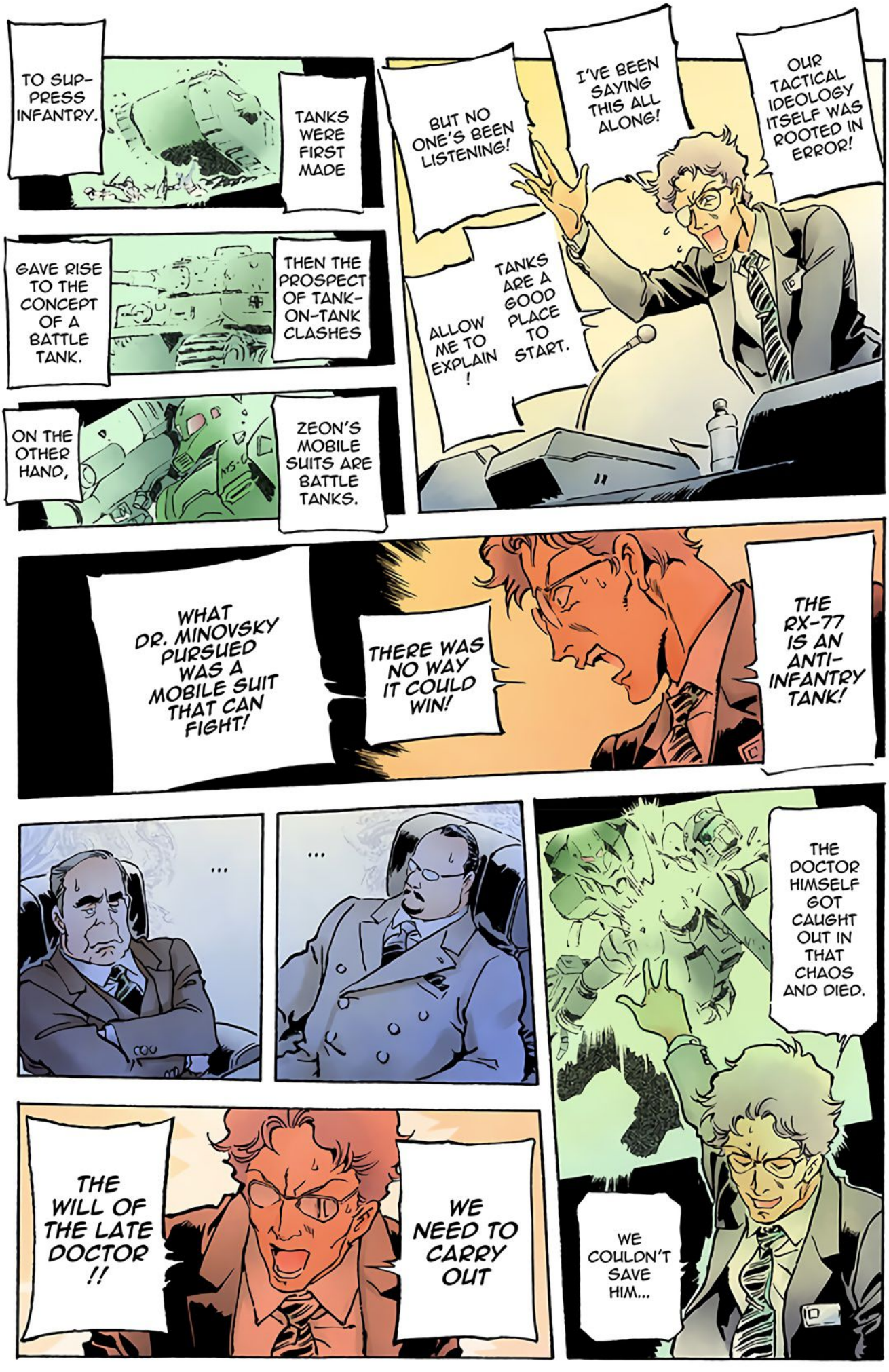
THE RX PROJECT NEEDS AN IM-MEDIATE OVER-HAUL!

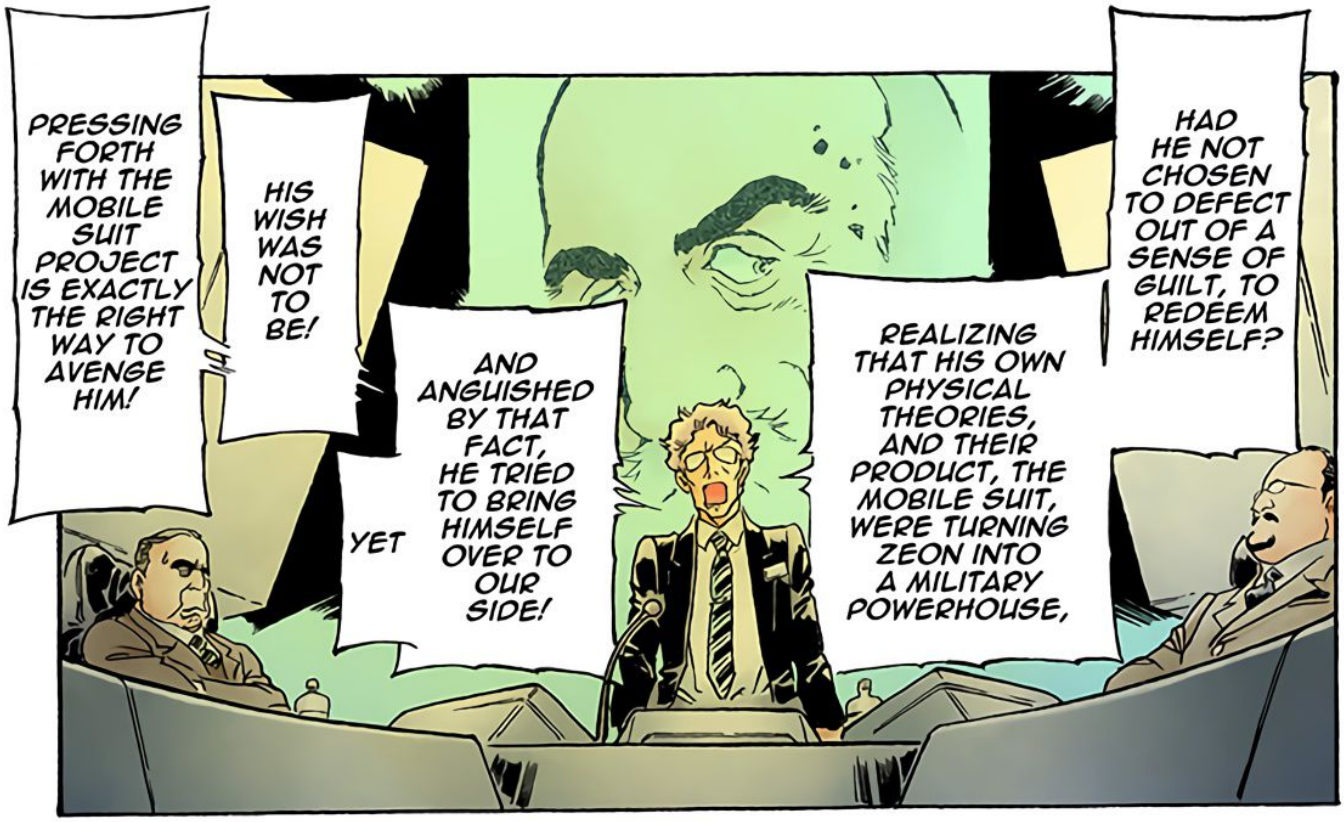
GRANADA NEWS
Night Driving Accident Leaves Mayor Dead
City Politics Face Chaos


ZEO-NIC'S MOBILE SUITS
ARE FEAR-SOME COMBAT MACHINES !
A TROOP OF RX-77S THAT THIS COMPANY JUST SUPPLIED TO THE FEDERATION WAS ANNIHILATED BY FIVE OF THEIR MOBILE SUITS.
A TRAGEDY THAT WE WOULD DO WELL TO REMEMBER AS "THE MARE SMYTHII MASSACRE" !
THE SCORE WAS 12 TO NOTH-ING,
A TOTAL DEFEAT !
YOU DESIGNED THE RX-77!
THIS IS YOUR FAULT!
YES !
AS IF YOU HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH IT, RAY.

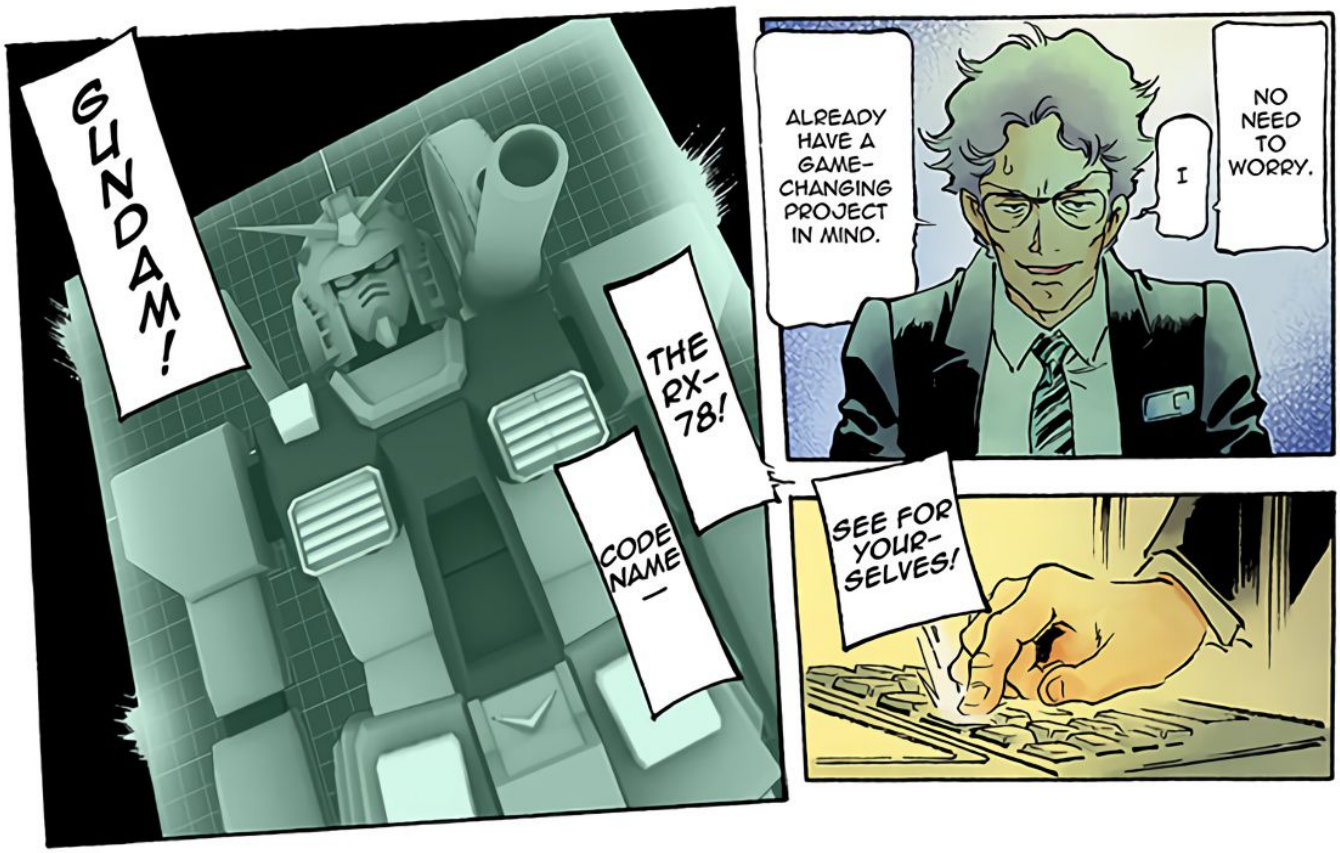

ALLOW ME TO MAKE UP FOR IT!
PLEASE FORGE AHEAD WITH THE RX PROJECT!
WHICH IS WHY I STAND BEFORE YOU NOW WITH A PLEA!
YOU ARE
RIGHT, THIS IS MY FAULT!!
GET OUT!!
YEAH, THERE YOU GO!
WE SHOULD BE *FIRING* YOU!
HAVE YOU NO SHAME?!
THAT IS WHAT I CALL SOPH-ISTRY!
IF THAT'S THE CONSENSUS HERE TODAY.
GLADLY.
I WILL BE ON MY WAY.
FEEL FINE ABOUT COMING UNDER ZEONIC'S HEEL?!
ALL OF YOU HERE
IS THAT YOUR PLAN?!
YOU'LL SCRAP THE WHOLE IDEA?
AFTER I'M GONE?!
AND HOW DO YOU INTEND TO DEVELOP MOBILE SUITS

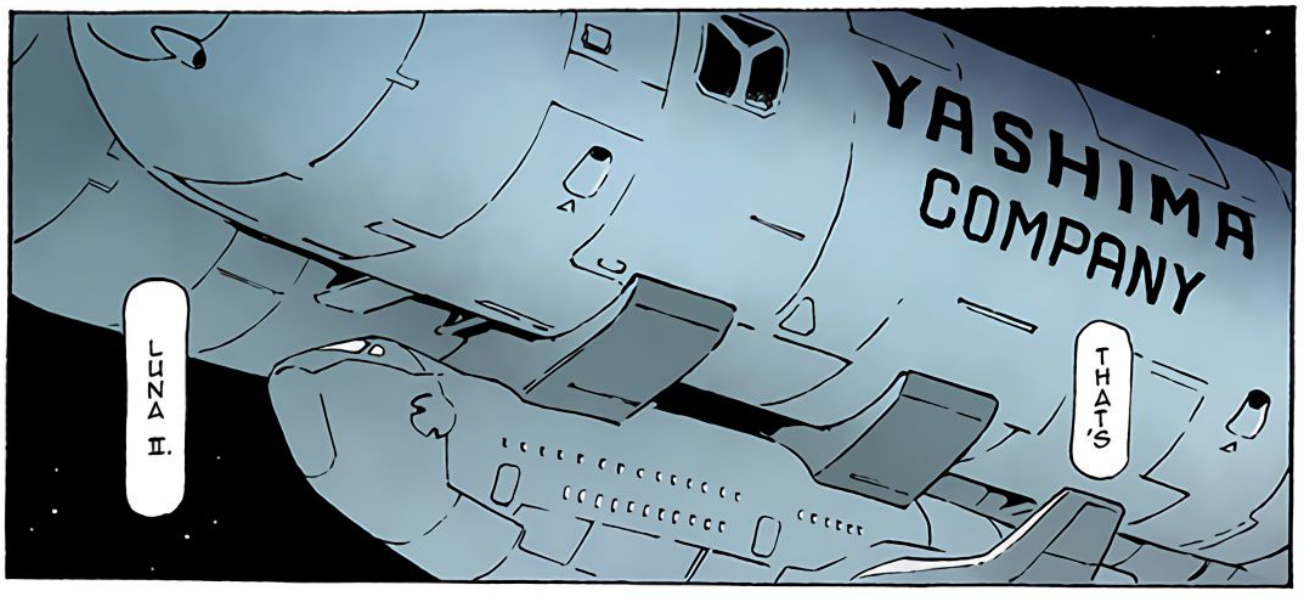

NOT ONLY THAT!
THE FEDERATION WILL HAVE TO SUBMIT TO ZEON AS WELL!
IT'S ONLY A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE ZEON DECLARES INDEPEN-DENCE.
WE WILL END UP IN A WAR WITH THEM!
AND THE OUTCOME OF THAT WAR WILL BE DETERMINED BY MOBILE SUITS!
NOW THAT'S EXTREME.
GETTING A LITTLE CARRIED AWAY?
IT'S JUST A MAN-SHAPED TANK,
MORE OR LESS.
NO TANK IN HIS-TORY
EVER WON AGAINST MISSILES OR PLANES,
AND NO TANK EVER SANK A WARSHIP.
TRUE!
I DON'T THINK YOU UNDER-STAND.
WHAT I'M SPEAKING OF IS AN IMPENDING WAR IN SPACE.
AND IN SPACE ...
A MO-BILE SUIT CAN BE
A PLANE OR A MISSILE!


TO SUPPRESS INFANTRY.
TANKS WERE FIRST MADE
GAVE RISE TO THE CONCEPT OF A BATTLE TANK.
THEN THE PROSPECT OF TANK-ON-TANK CLASHES
ON THE OTHER HAND,
ZEON'S MOBILE SUITS ARE BATTLE TANKS.
BUT NO ONE'S BEEN LISTENING!
I'VE BEEN SAYING THIS ALL ALONG!
OUR TACTICAL IDEOLOGY ITSELF WAS ROOTED IN ERROR!
ALLOW ME TO EXPLAIN!
TANKS ARE A GOOD PLACE TO START.
WHAT DR. MINOVSKY PURSUED WAS A MOBILE SUIT THAT CAN FIGHT!
THERE WAS NO WAY IT COULD WIN!
THE RX-77 IS AN ANTI-INFANTRY TANK!
...
...
THE DOCTOR HIMSELF GOT CAUGHT OUT IN THAT CHAOS AND DIED.
WE COULDN'T SAVE HIM...
THE WILL OF THE LATE DOCTOR!!
WE NEED TO CARRY OUT


HAD HE NOT CHOSEN TO DEFECT OUT OF A SENSE OF GUILT, TO REDEEM HIMSELF?
REALIZING THAT HIS OWN PHYSICAL THEORIES, AND THEIR PRODUCT, THE MOBILE SUIT, WERE TURNING ZEON INTO A MILITARY POWERHOUSE,
AND ANGUISHED BY THAT FACT, HE TRIED TO BRING HIMSELF OVER TO OUR SIDE!
YET
HIS WISH WAS NOT TO BE!
PRESSING FORTH WITH THE MOBILE SUIT PROJECT IS EXACTLY THE RIGHT WAY TO AVENGE HIM!

I SEE WHAT YOU ARE
TRYING TO SAY, BUT...
WHO'S GOING TO BRING US BACK FROM BEHIND?
YOU?
WHO HIRES A COACH ...
THAT LOST 12 TO 0?


NO NEED TO WORRY.
I
ALREADY HAVE A GAME-CHANGING PROJECT IN MIND.
SEE FOR YOUR-SELVES!
CODE NAME—
THE RX-78!
GUNDAM!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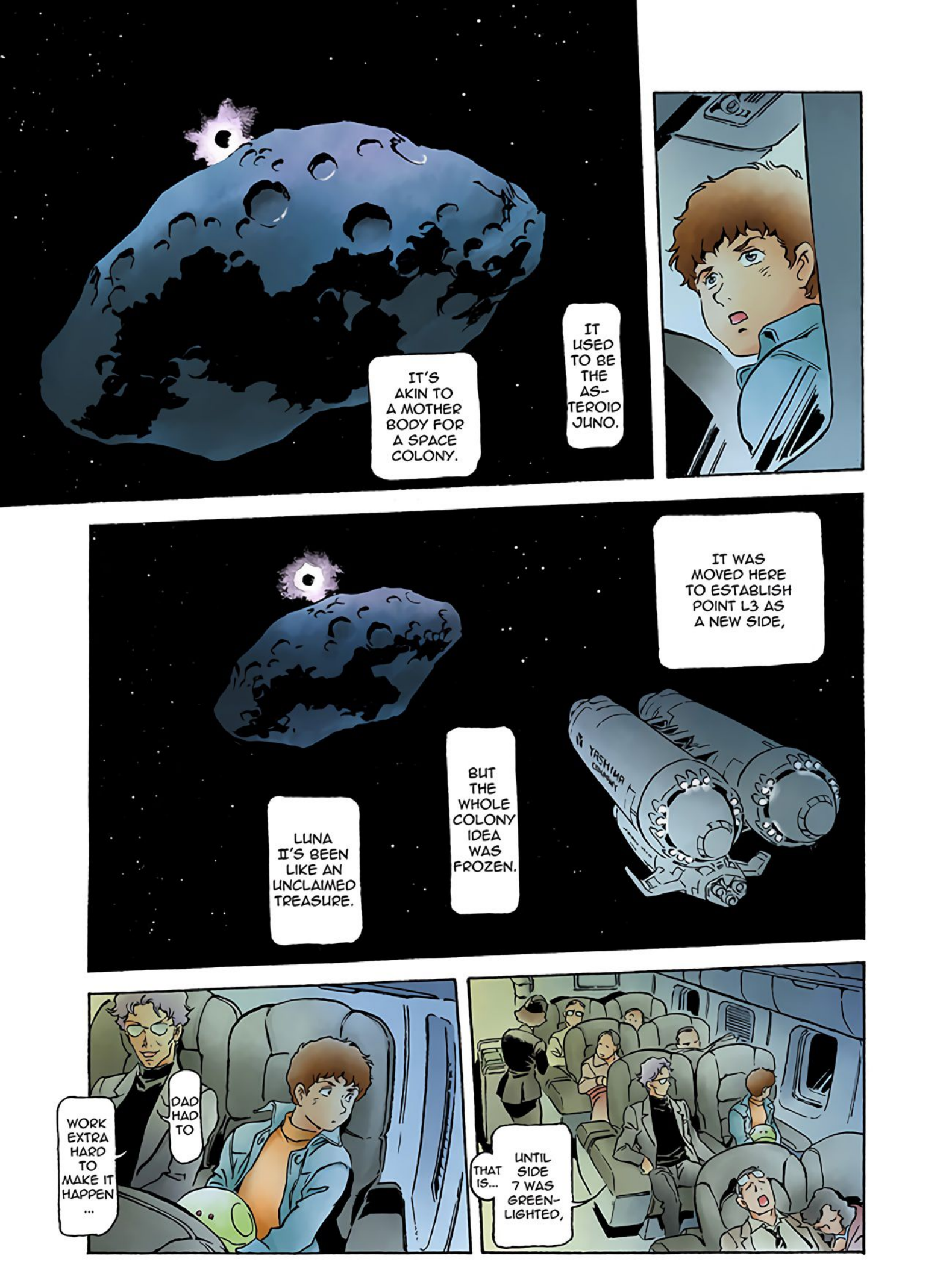
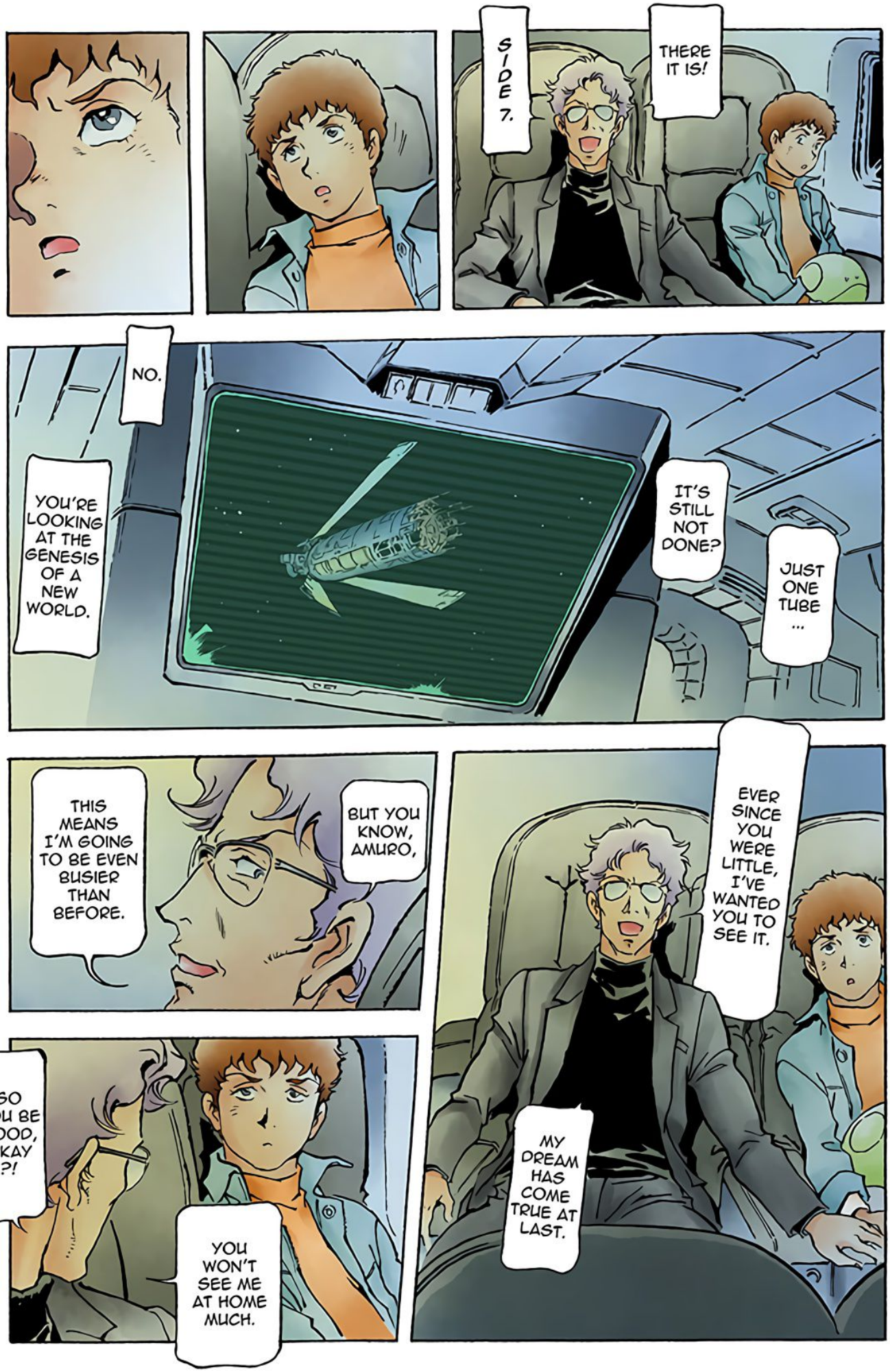
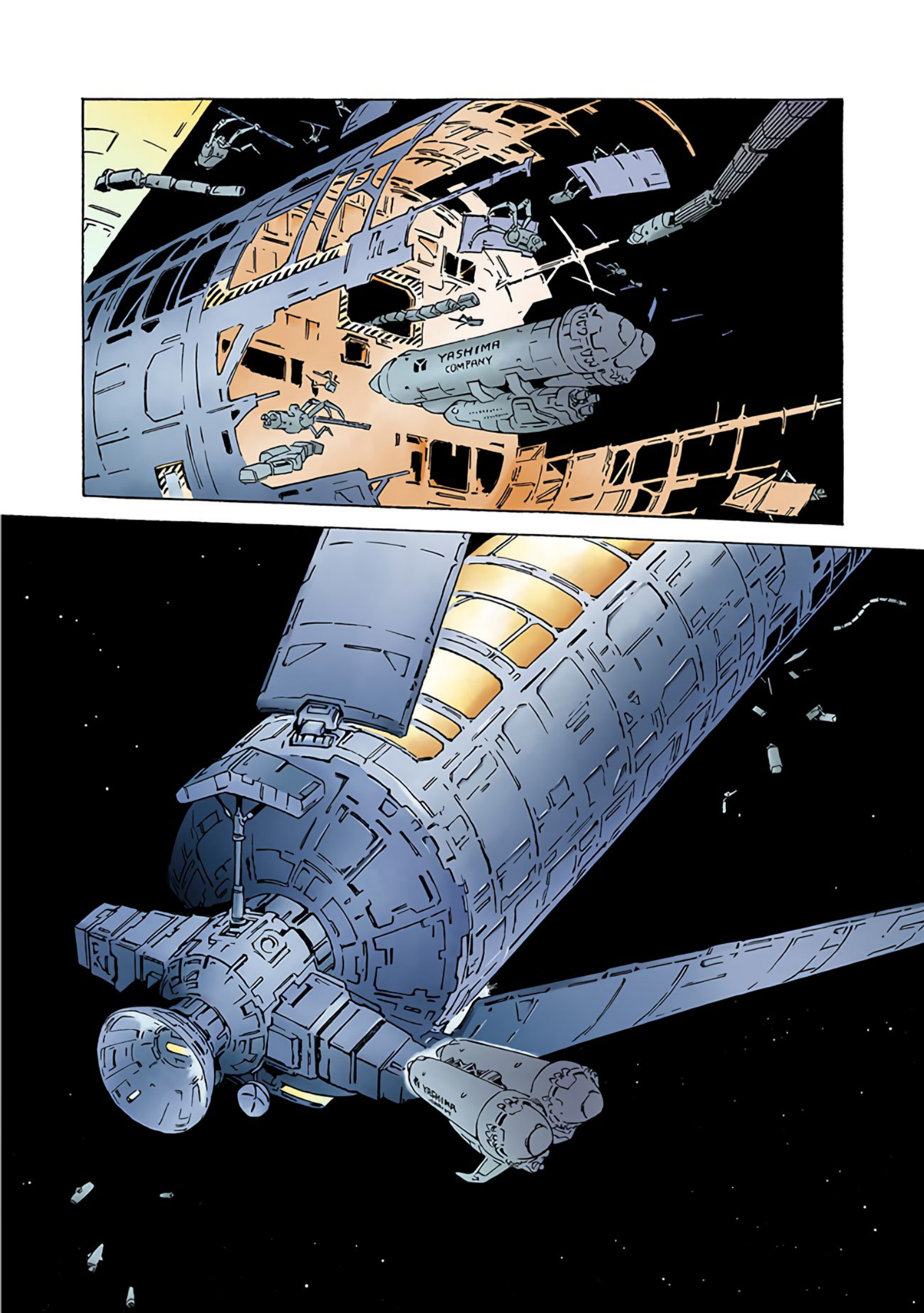
THAT'S
LUNA II.


IT USED TO BE THE AS-TEROID JUNO.
IT'S AKIN TO A MOTHER BODY FOR A SPACE COLONY.
IT WAS MOVED HERE TO ESTABLISH POINT L3 AS A NEW SIDE,
BUT THE WHOLE COLONY IDEA WAS FROZEN.
LUNA II'S BEEN LIKE AN UNCLAIMED TREASURE.
YASHIMA
UNTIL SIDE 7 WAS GREEN-LIGHTED,
THAT IS...
DAD HAD TO
WORK EXTRA HARD TO MAKE IT HAPPEN ...


SIDE 7.
THERE IT IS!
JUST ONE TUBE ...
IT'S STILL NOT DONE?
NO.
YOU'RE LOOKING AT THE GENESIS OF A NEW WORLD.
EVER SINCE YOU WERE LITTLE, I'VE WANTED YOU TO SEE IT.
MY DREAM HAS COME TRUE AT LAST.
BUT YOU KNOW, AMURO,
THIS MEANS I'M GOING TO BE EVEN BUSIER THAN BEFORE.
YOU WON'T SEE ME AT HOME MUCH.
SO YOU BE GOOD, OKAY ?!

...
THE SCHOOL YEAR WILL START SOON.
MAKE SOME REAL FRIENDS.
BE DILIGENT AT YOUR STUDIES AND WHATEVER ELSE SO PEOPLE WON'T WONDER IF YOU'RE REALLY THE SON OF CHIEF ENGINEER RAY.
GOT IT?
YASHIMA COMPANY
...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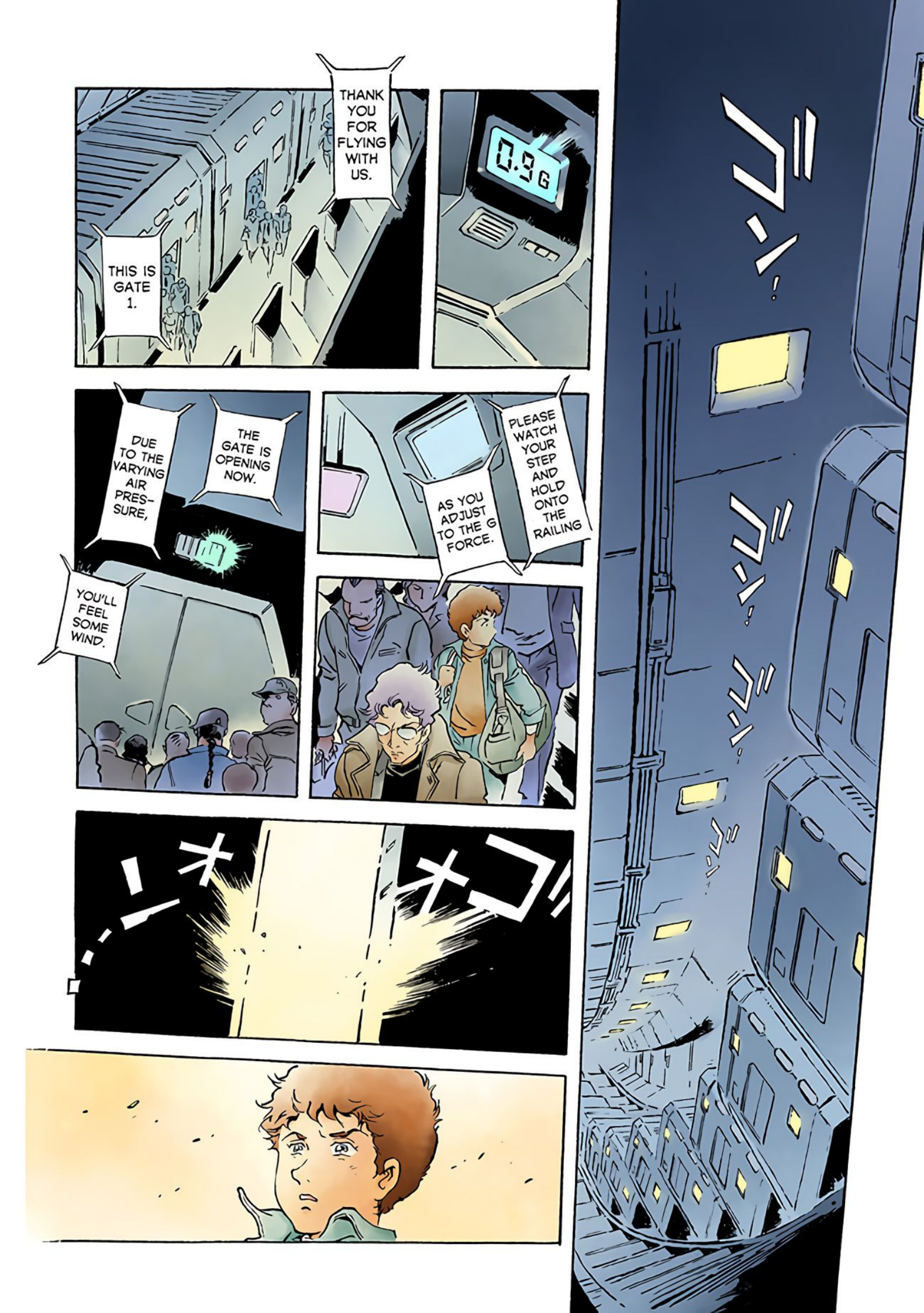
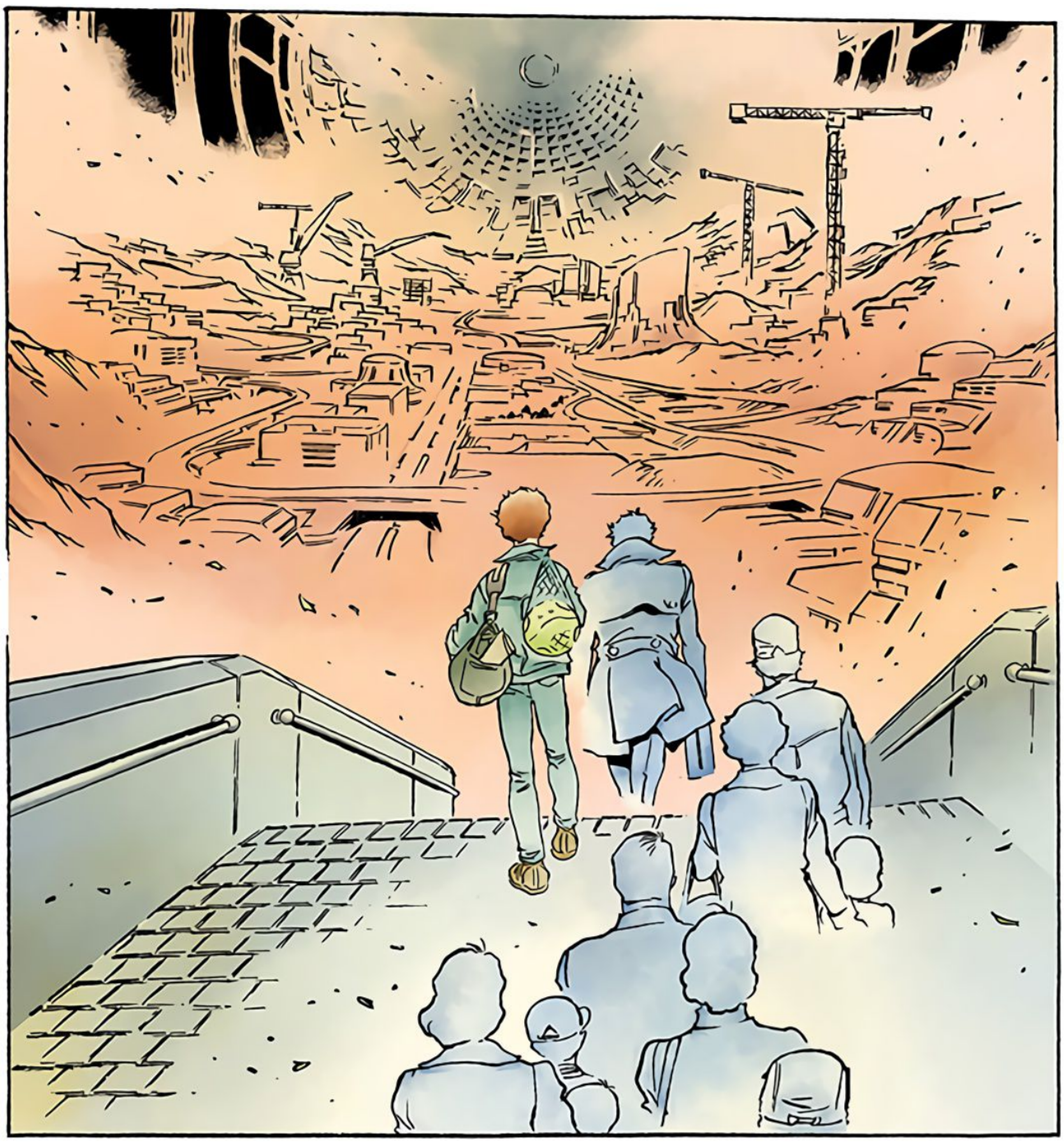

THANK YOU FOR FLYING WITH US.
THIS IS GATE 1.
0.9G
DUE TO THE VARYING AIR PRES-SURE,
THE GATE IS OPENING NOW.
YOU'LL FEEL SOME WIND.
AS YOU ADJUST TO THE G FORCE.
PLEASE WATCH YOUR STEP AND HOLD ONTO THE RAILING

SIDE...
7.....



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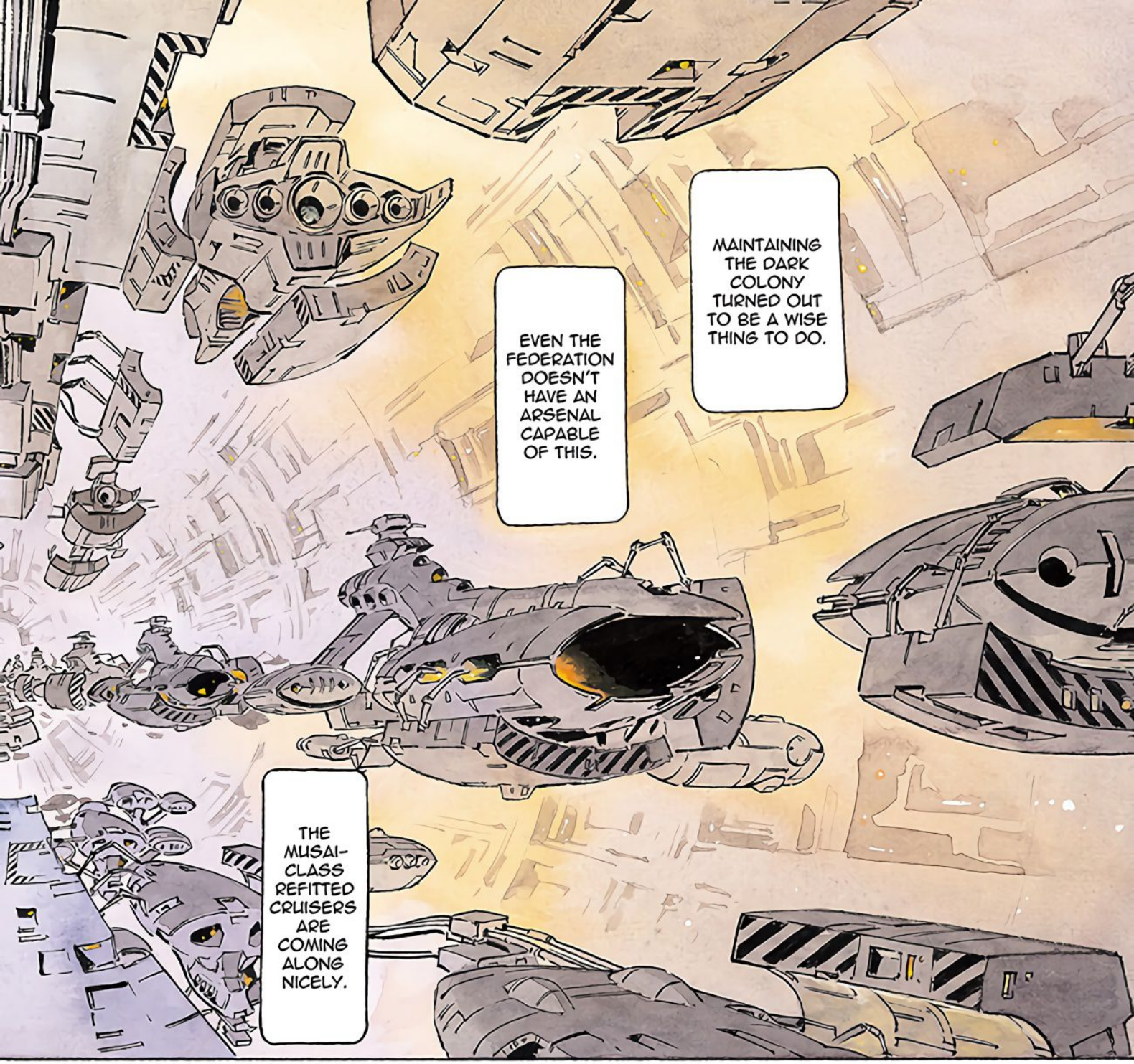
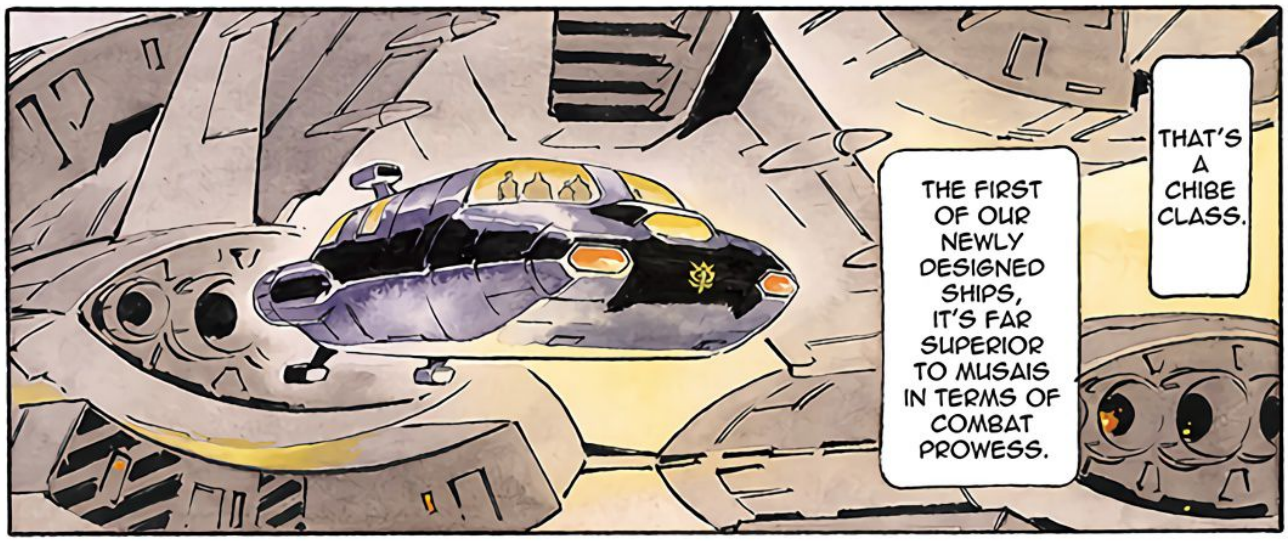

MAINTAINING THE DARK COLONY TURNED OUT TO BE A WISE THING TO DO.
EVEN THE FEDERATION DOESN'T HAVE AN ARSENAL CAPABLE OF THIS.
THE MUSAI-CLASS REFITTED CRUISERS ARE COMING ALONG NICELY.


THAT'S A CHIBE CLASS.
THE FIRST OF OUR NEWLY DESIGNED SHIPS, IT'S FAR SUPERIOR TO MUSAIS IN TERMS OF COMBAT PROWESS.

SINCE THEY USED TO BE TRANS-PORTS
THEY WILL BE ABLE TO CARRY MOBILE SUITS WITH EASE, TOO.

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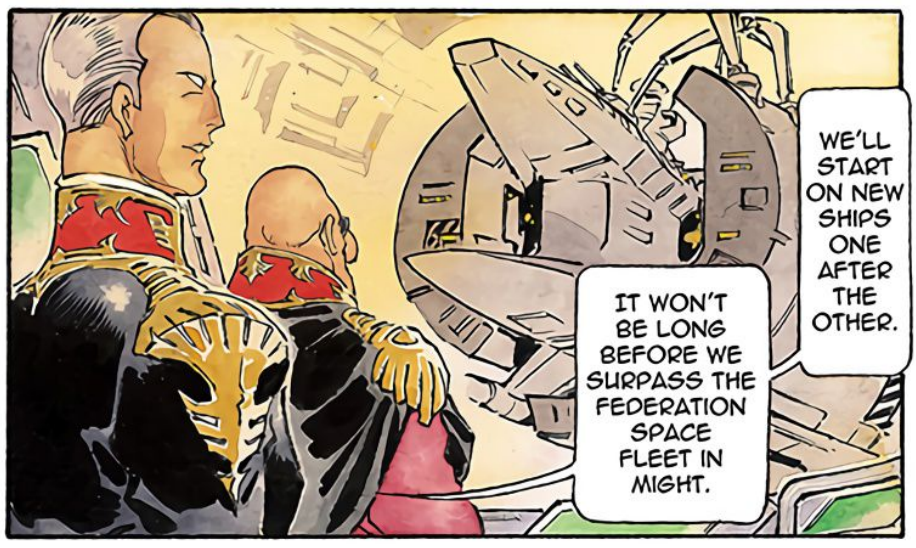
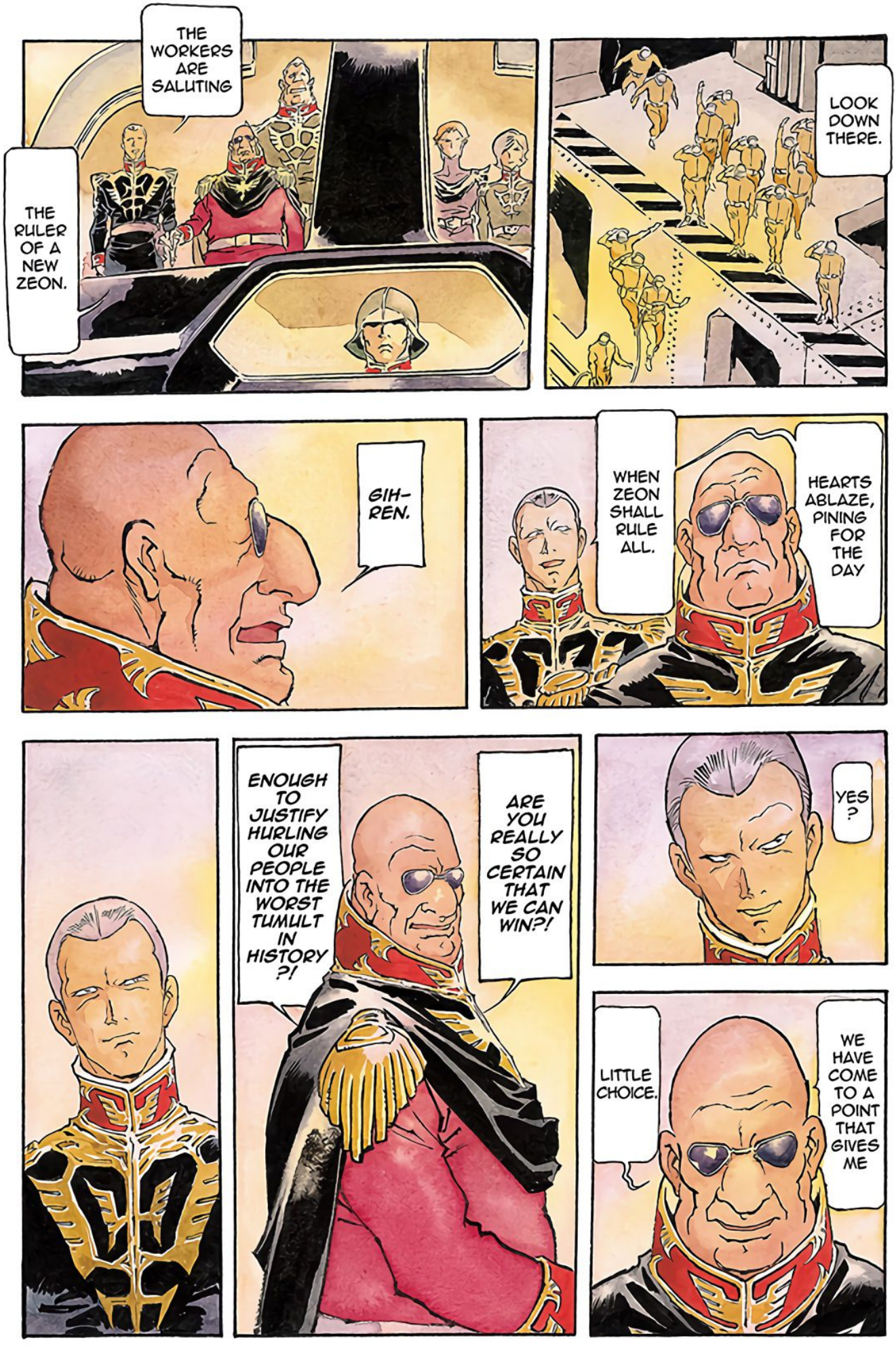
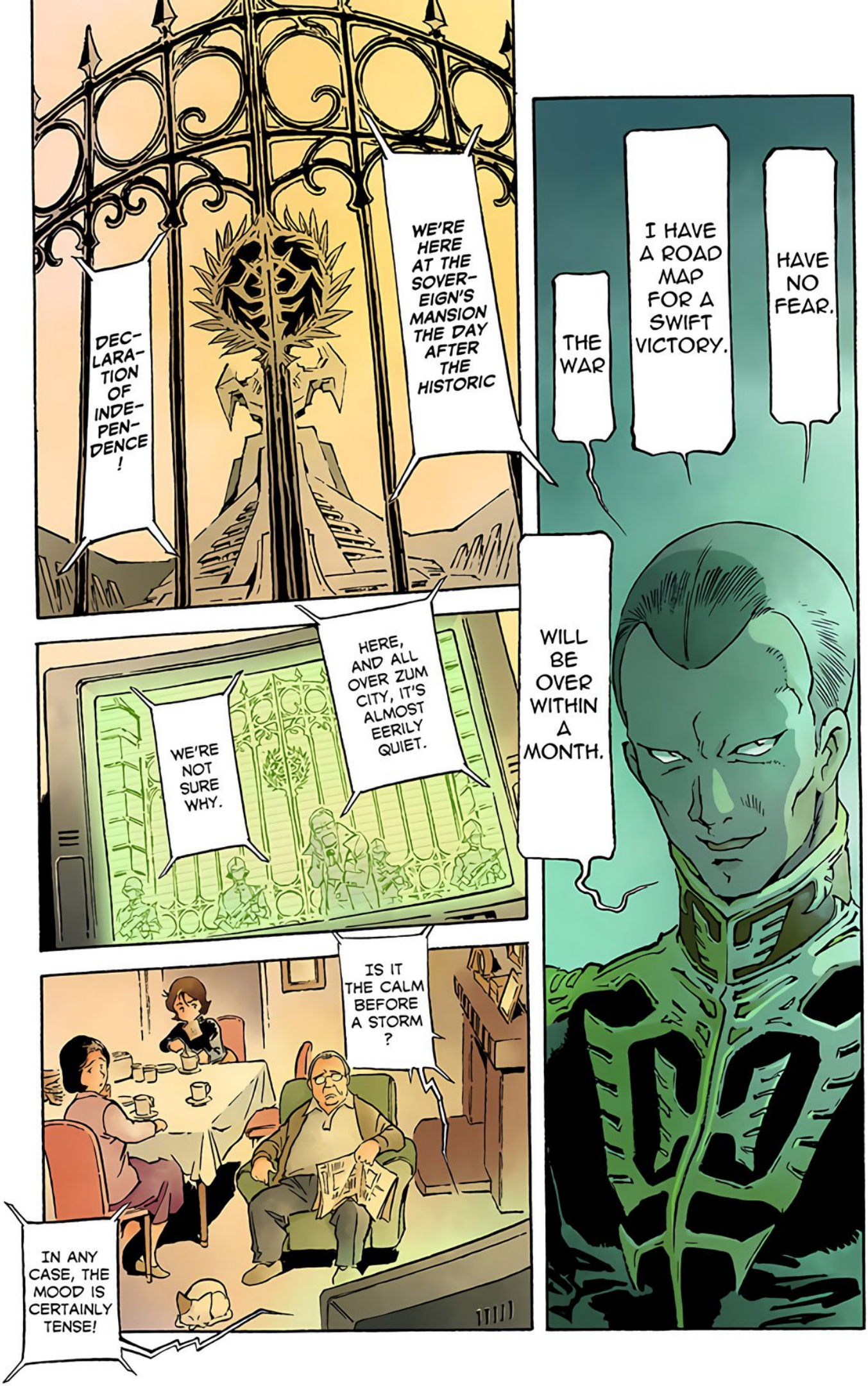
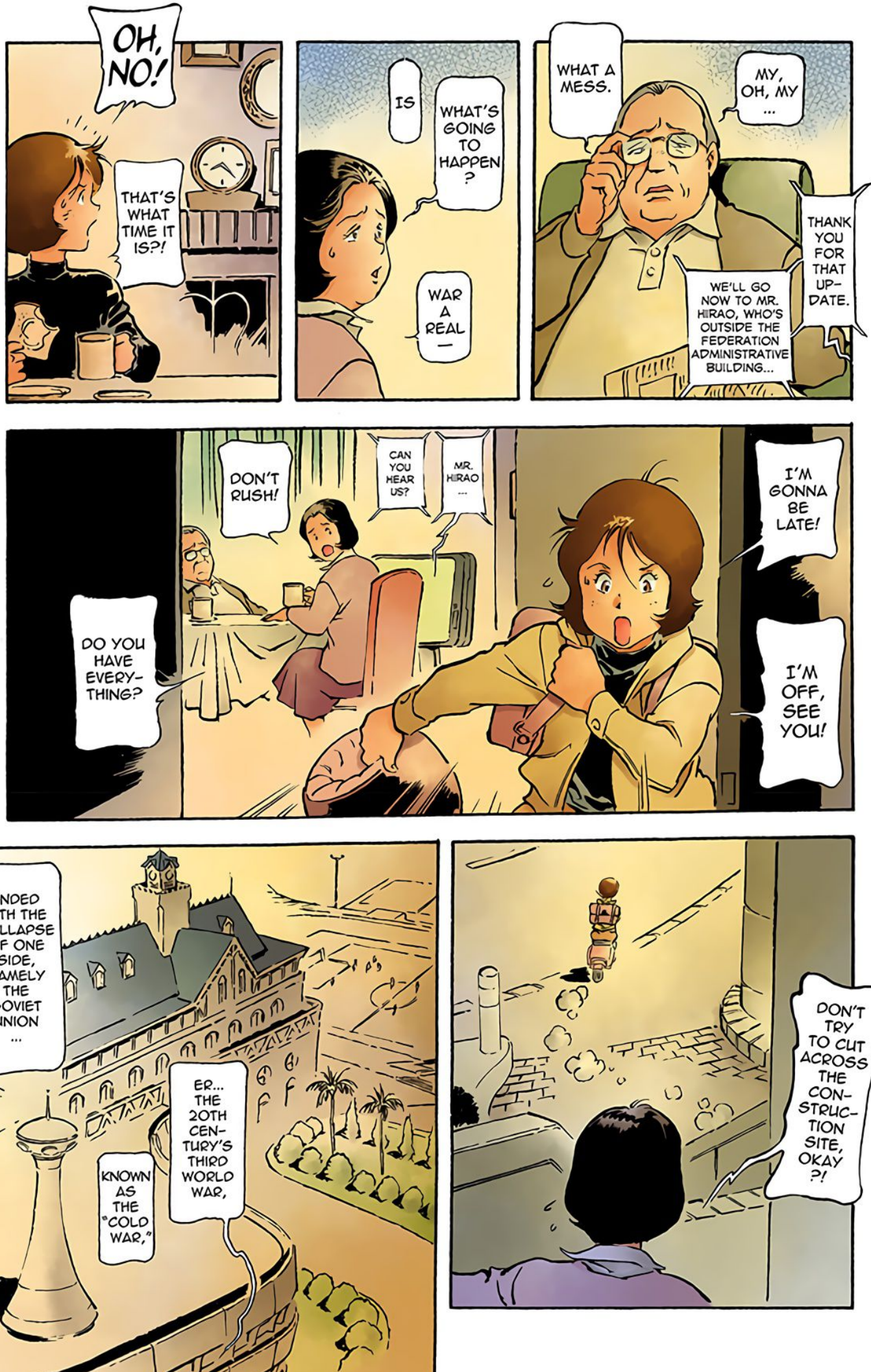
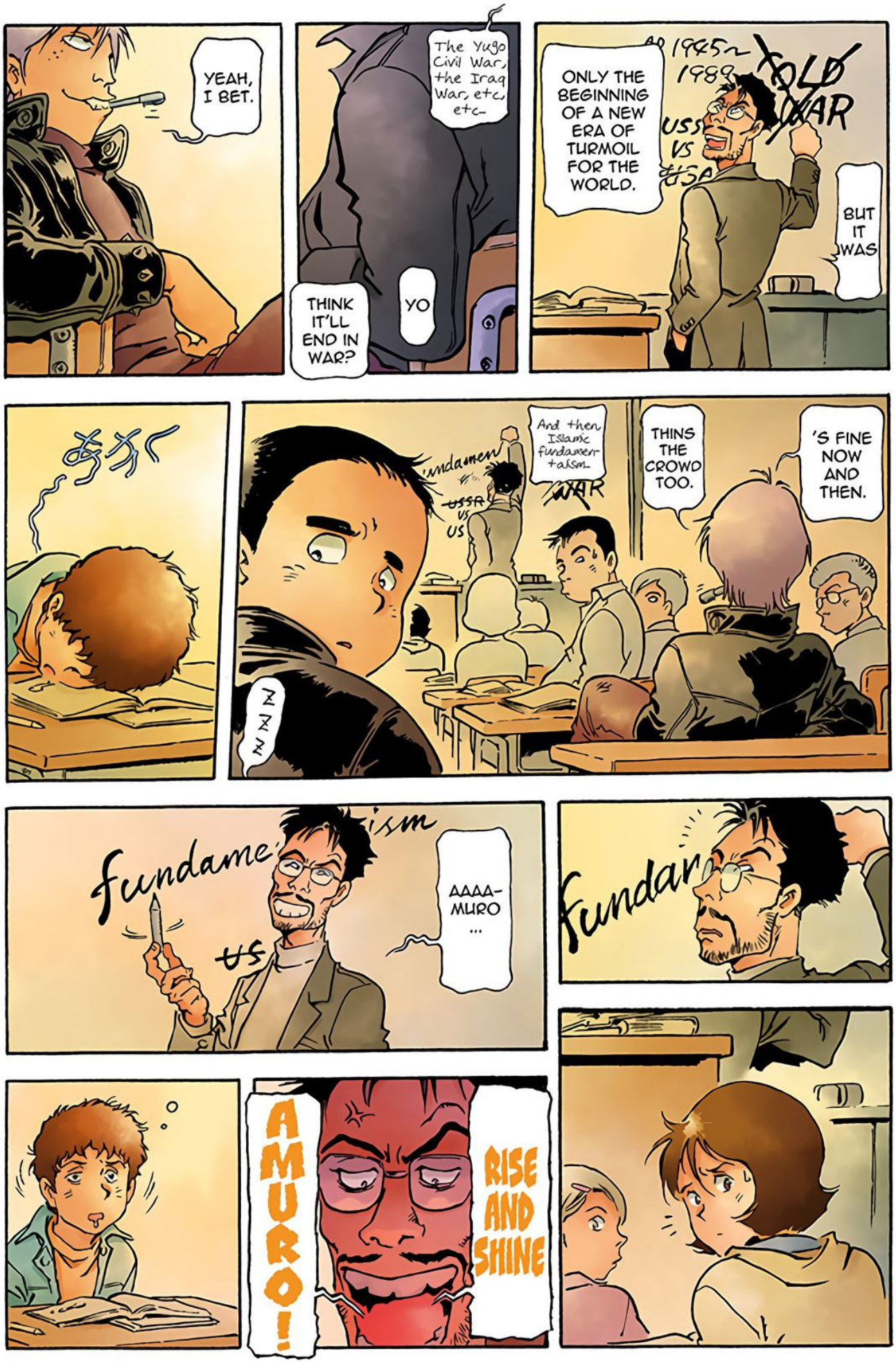

WE'LL START ON NEW SHIPS ONE AFTER THE OTHER.
IT WON'T BE LONG BEFORE WE SURPASS THE FEDERATION SPACE FLEET IN MIGHT.

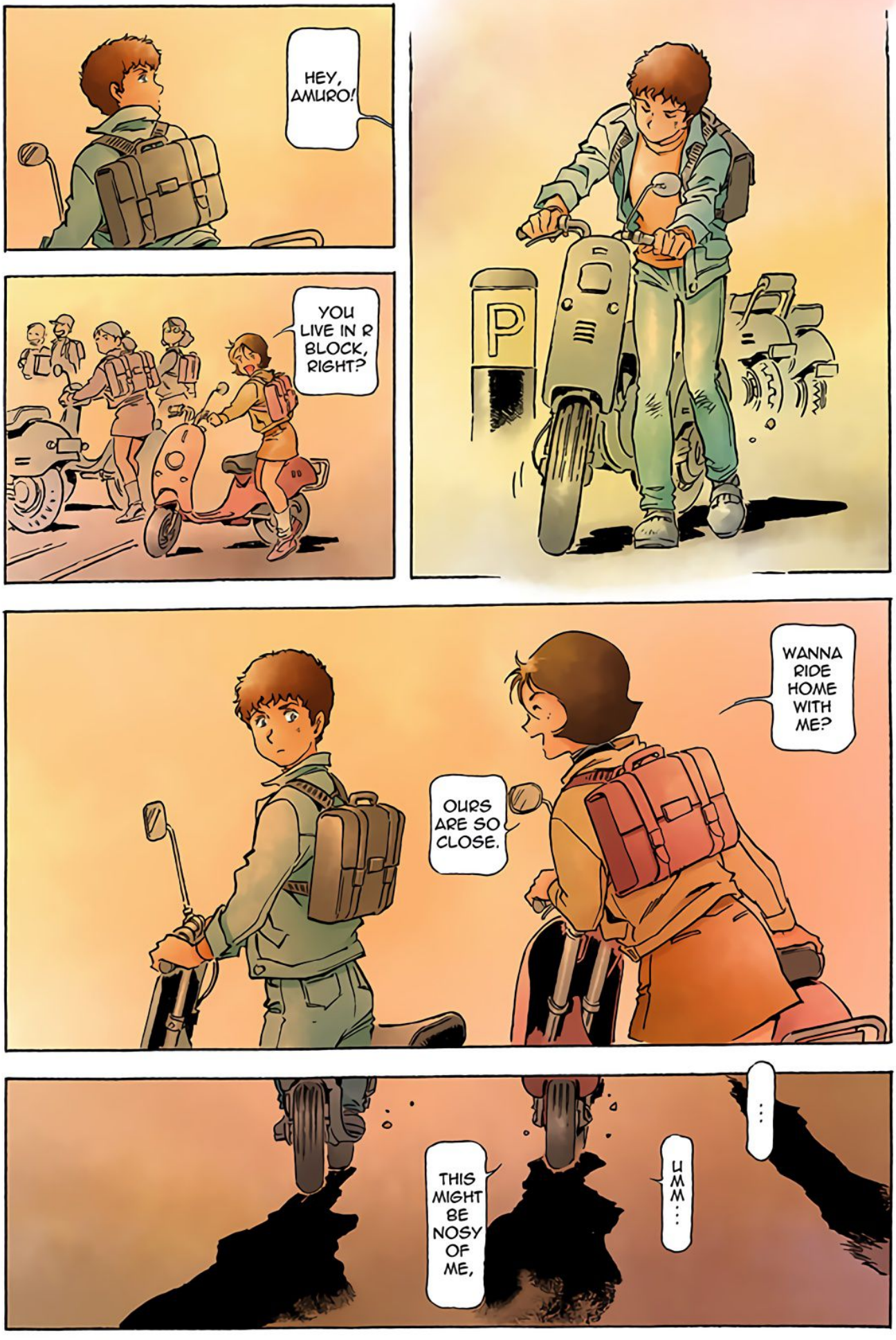

THE WORKERS ARE SALUTING
THE RULER OF A NEW ZEON.
LOOK DOWN THERE.
GIH-REN.
WHEN ZEON SHALL RULE ALL.
HEARTS ABLAZE, PINING FOR THE DAY
ENOUGH TO JUSTIFY HURLING OUR PEOPLE INTO THE WORST TUMULT IN HISTORY?!
ARE YOU REALLY SO CERTAIN THAT WE CAN WIN?!
YES?
LITTLE CHOICE.
WE HAVE COME TO A POINT THAT GIVES ME

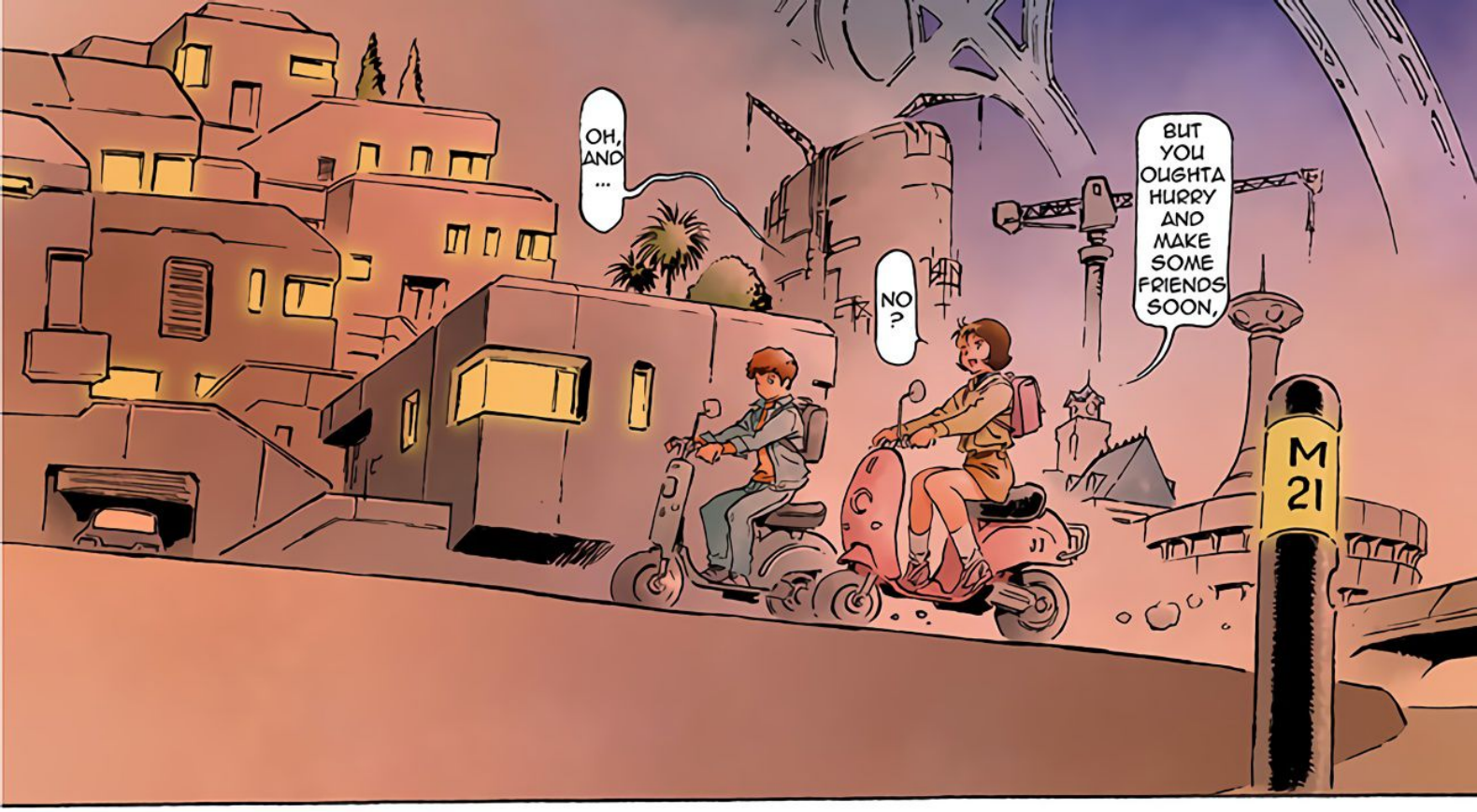

DEC-LARA-TION OF INDE-PEN-DENCE !
WE'RE HERE AT THE SOVER-EIGN'S MANSION THE DAY AFTER THE HISTORIC
HAVE NO FEAR.
I HAVE A ROAD MAP FOR A SWIFT VICTORY.
THE WAR
WILL BE OVER WITHIN A MONTH.
HERE, AND ALL OVER ZUM CITY, IT'S ALMOST EERILY QUIET.
WE'RE NOT SURE WHY.
IS IT THE CALM BEFORE A STORM ?
IN ANY CASE, THE MOOD IS CERTAINLY TENSE!


OH, NO!
THAT'S WHAT TIME IT IS?!
IS
WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN ?
WAR A REAL —
WHAT A MESS.
MY, OH, MY ...
THANK YOU FOR THAT UP-DATE.
WE'LL GO NOW TO MR. HIRAO, WHO'S OUTSIDE THE FEDERATION ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING...
DON'T RUSH!
CAN YOU HEAR US?
MR. HIRAO ...
I'M GONNA BE LATE!
DO YOU HAVE EVERY-THING?
I'M OFF, SEE YOU!
ENDED WITH THE COLLAPSE OF ONE SIDE, NAMELY THE SOVIET UNION ...
ER... THE 20TH CEN-TURY'S THIRD WORLD WAR,
KNOWN AS THE "COLD WAR,"
DON'T TRY TO CUT ACROSS THE CON-STRUC-TION SITE, OKAY ?!

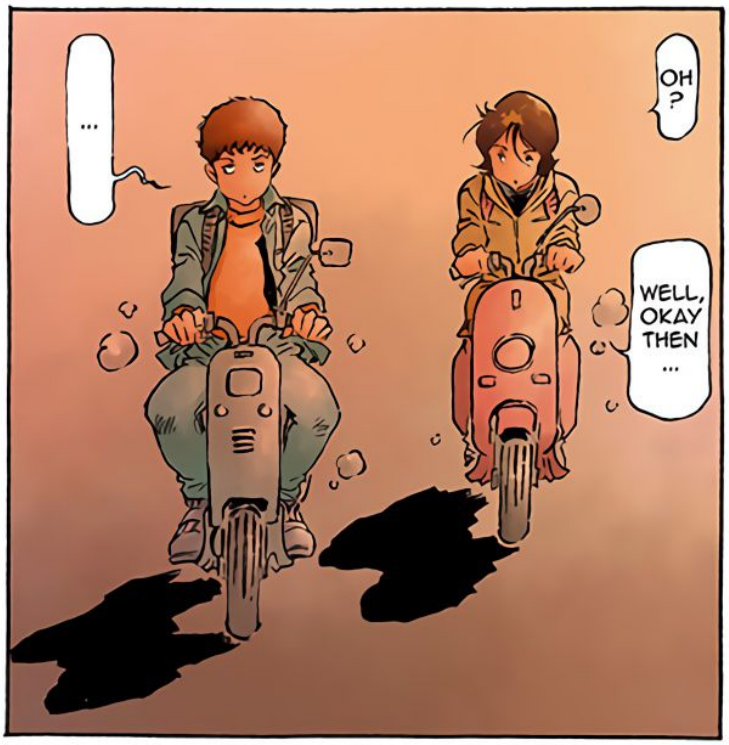

YEAH, I BET.
The Yugo Civil War, the Iraq War, etc, etc.
YO
THINK IT'LL END IN WAR?
1945~1989
COLD WAR
USSR VS USA
ONLY THE BEGINNING OF A NEW ERA OF TURMOIL FOR THE WORLD.
BUT IT WAS
ZZZZ
And then Islamic fundamentalism
WAR
THINS THE CROWD TOO.
'S FINE NOW AND THEN.
fundamentalism
US
AAAA-MURO ...
fundamentalism
AMURO!
RISE AND SHINE

WELL,
WHO WAS IT?!
SO SORRY TO WAKE YOU,
BUT WOULD YOU MIND TELLING US WHO WAS THE LAST PRESIDENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS?
Ha ha
Giggle
??
...
?
Gorby!
It's Gorby!
GALBI, RIGHT?
Gorby...
G


HEY, AMURO!
YOU LIVE IN R BLOCK, RIGHT?
P
WANNA RIDE HOME WITH ME?
OURS ARE SO CLOSE.
THIS MIGHT BE NOSY OF ME,
UMM...
...

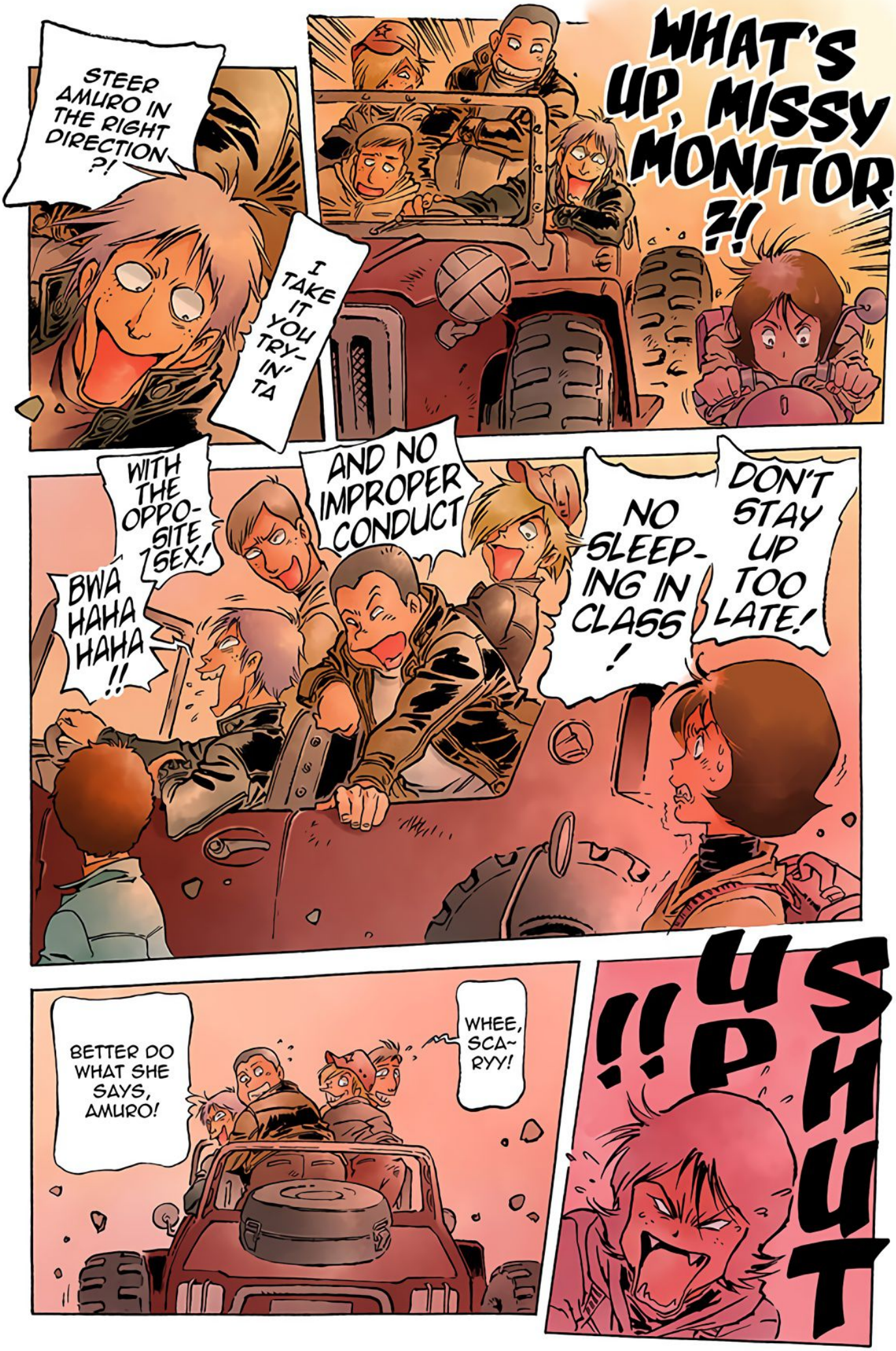

OH, AND ...
NO?
BUT YOU OUGHTA HURRY AND MAKE SOME FRIENDS SOON,
M 21

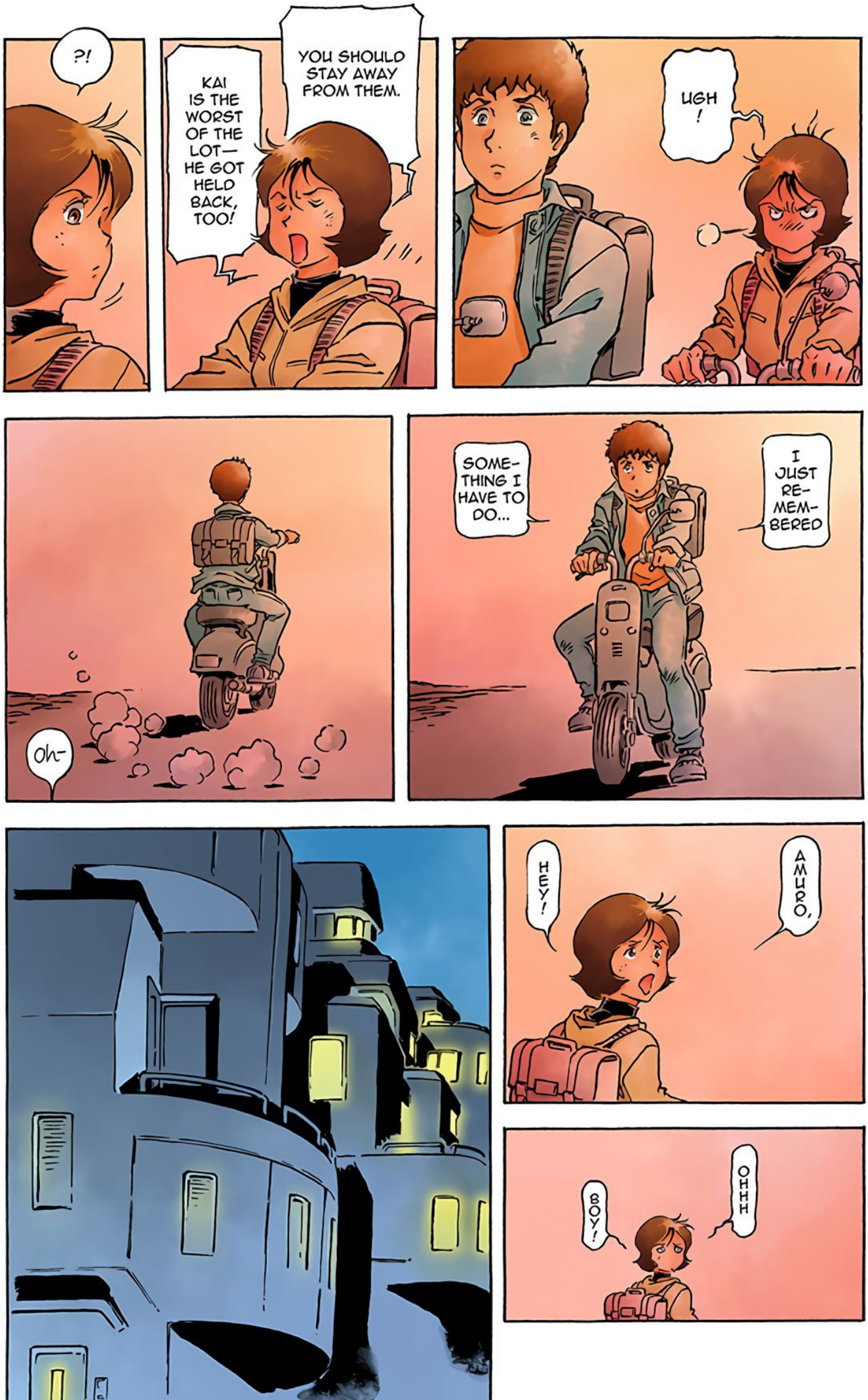
I BET YOU STAY UP LATE A LOT.
YOU SEEM TIRED.

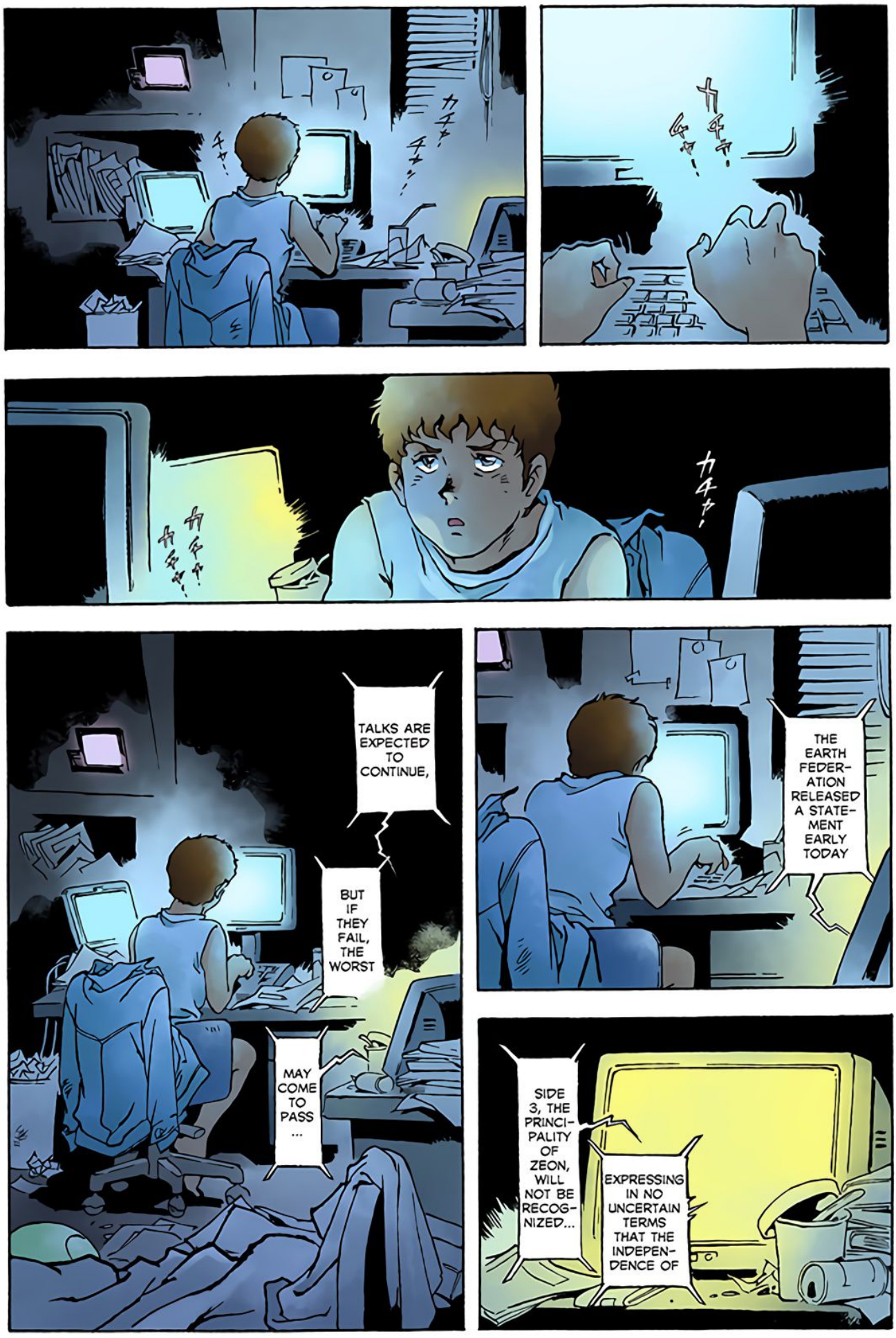

...
OH?
WELL, OKAY THEN ...

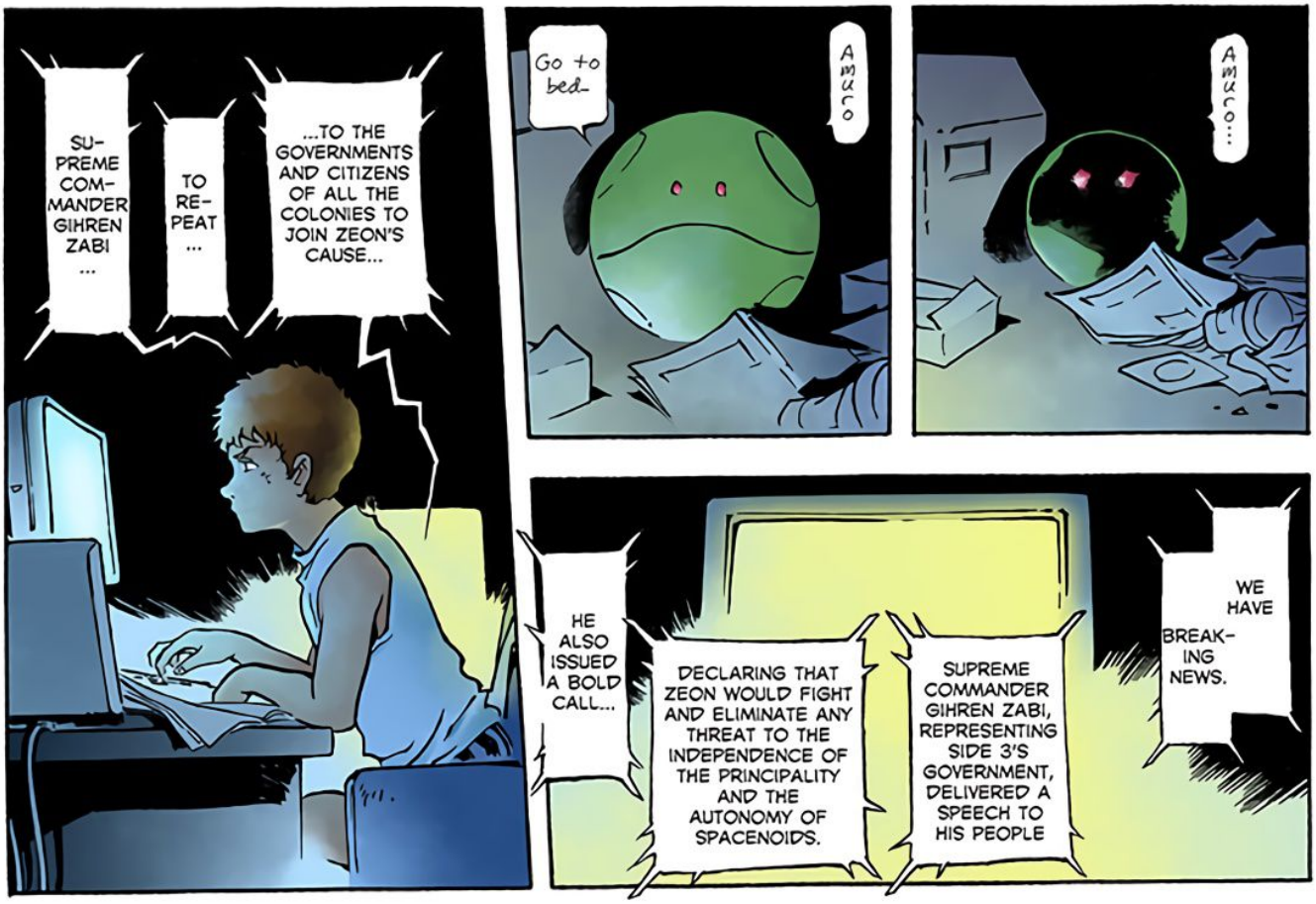
EATING?
SO ARE YOU

I AM!
YEAH,


STEER AMURO IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION ?!
I TAKE IT YOU TRY-IN' TA
WHAT'S UP, MISSY MONITOR ?!
WITH THE OPPO-SITE SEX!
AND NO IMPROPER CONDUCT
DON'T STAY UP TOO LATE!
NO SLEEP-ING IN CLASS !
BWA HAHA HAHA !!
BETTER DO WHAT SHE SAYS, AMURO!
WHEE, SCA~ RYY!
SHUT UP!!


?!
KAI IS THE WORST OF THE LOT— HE GOT HELD BACK, TOO!
YOU SHOULD STAY AWAY FROM THEM.
UGH !
Oh-
SOME-THING I HAVE TO DO...
I JUST RE-MEM-BERED
HEY!
AMURO,
BOY!
OHHH


THE EARTH FEDER-ATION RELEASED A STATE-MENT EARLY TODAY
SIDE 3, THE PRINCI-PALITY OF ZEON, WILL NOT BE RECOG-NIZED...
EXPRESSING IN NO UNCERTAIN TERMS THAT THE INDEPEN-DENCE OF
TALKS ARE EXPECTED TO CONTINUE,
BUT IF THEY FAIL, THE WORST
MAY COME TO PASS ...


Amuro...
Amuro
Go to bed.
WE HAVE BREAKING NEWS.
SUPREME COMMANDER GIHREN ZABI, REPRESENTING SIDE 3'S GOVERNMENT, DELIVERED A SPEECH TO HIS PEOPLE
DECLARING THAT ZEON WOULD FIGHT AND ELIMINATE ANY THREAT TO THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE PRINCIPALITY AND THE AUTONOMY OF SPACENOIDS.
HE ALSO ISSUED A BOLD CALL...
...TO THE GOVERNMENTS AND CITIZENS OF ALL THE COLONIES TO JOIN ZEON'S CAUSE...
TO REPEAT ...
SUPREME COMMANDER GIHREN ZABI ...

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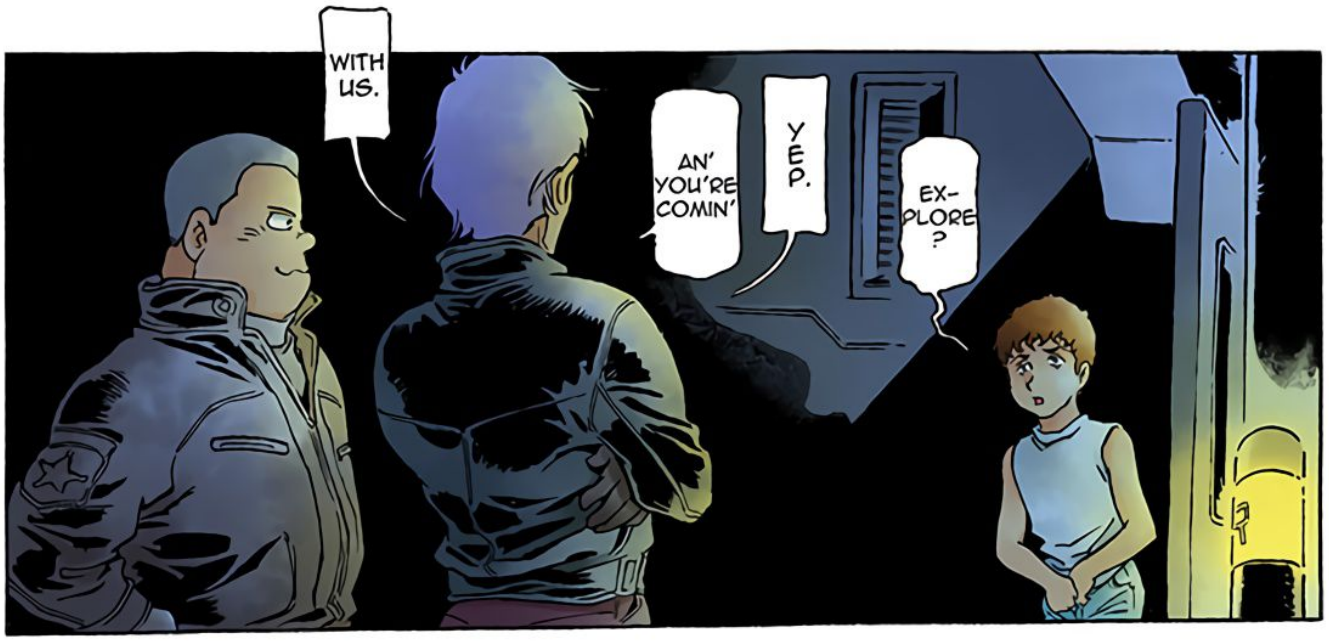
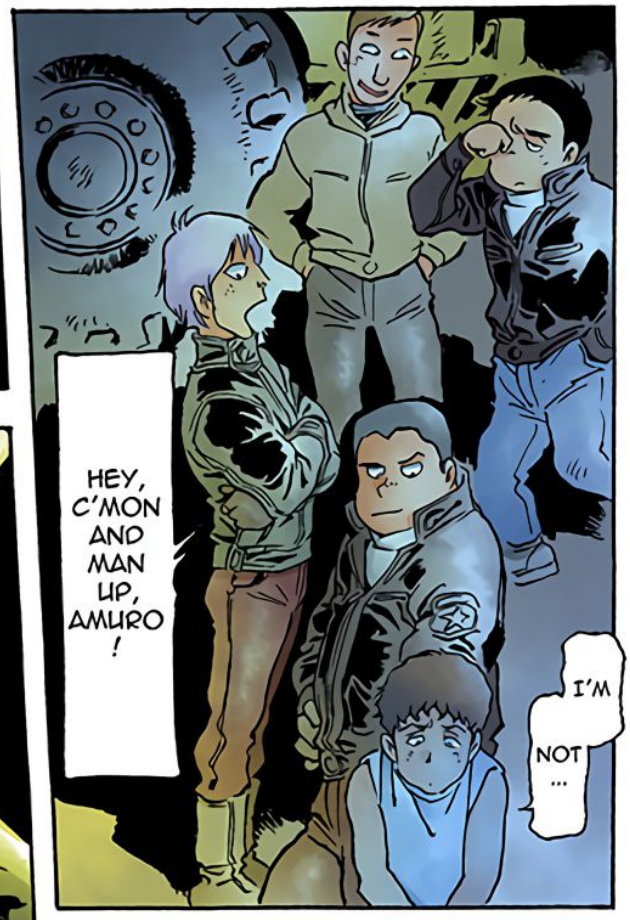
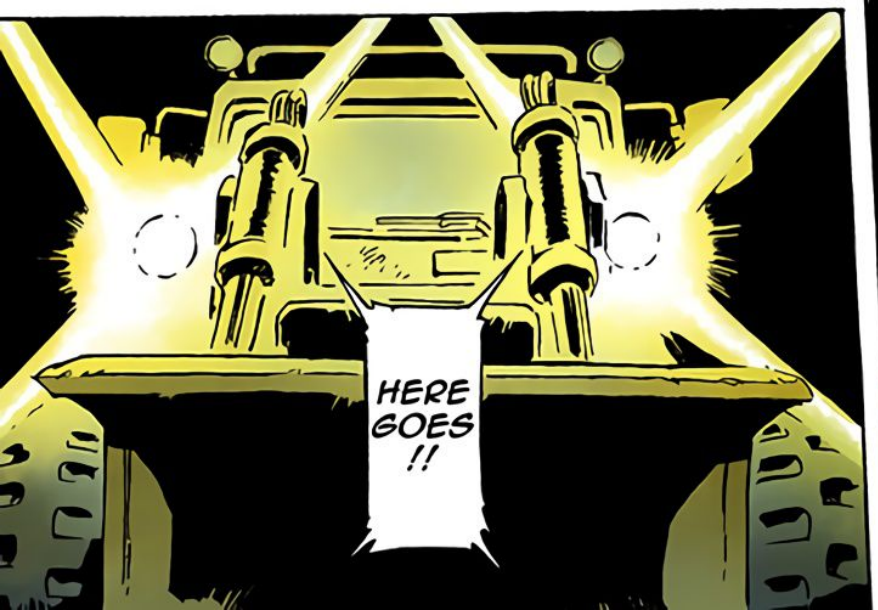
WHAT WAS THAT?

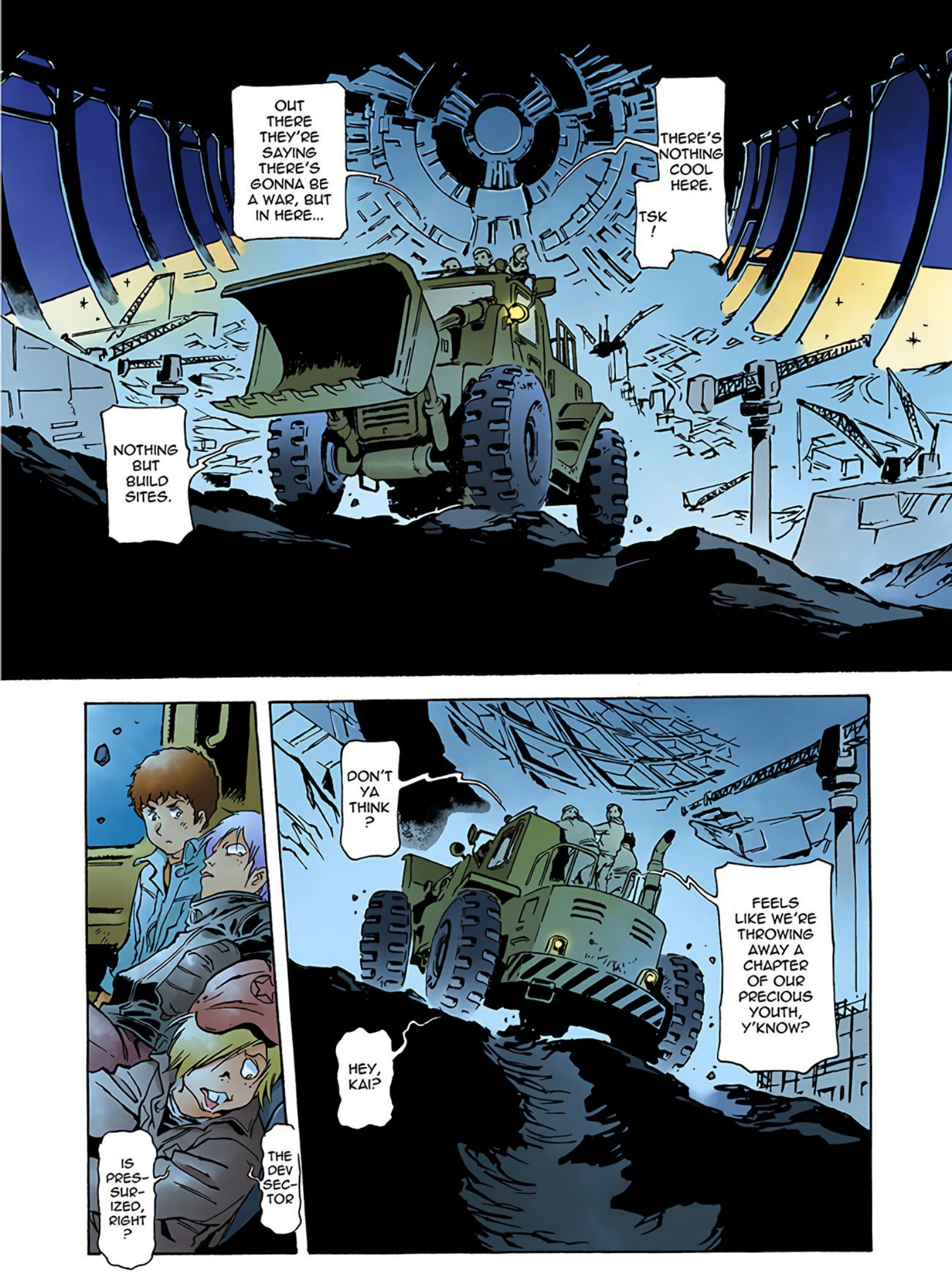

WITH US.
AN' YOU'RE COMIN'
YEP.
EX-PLORE?

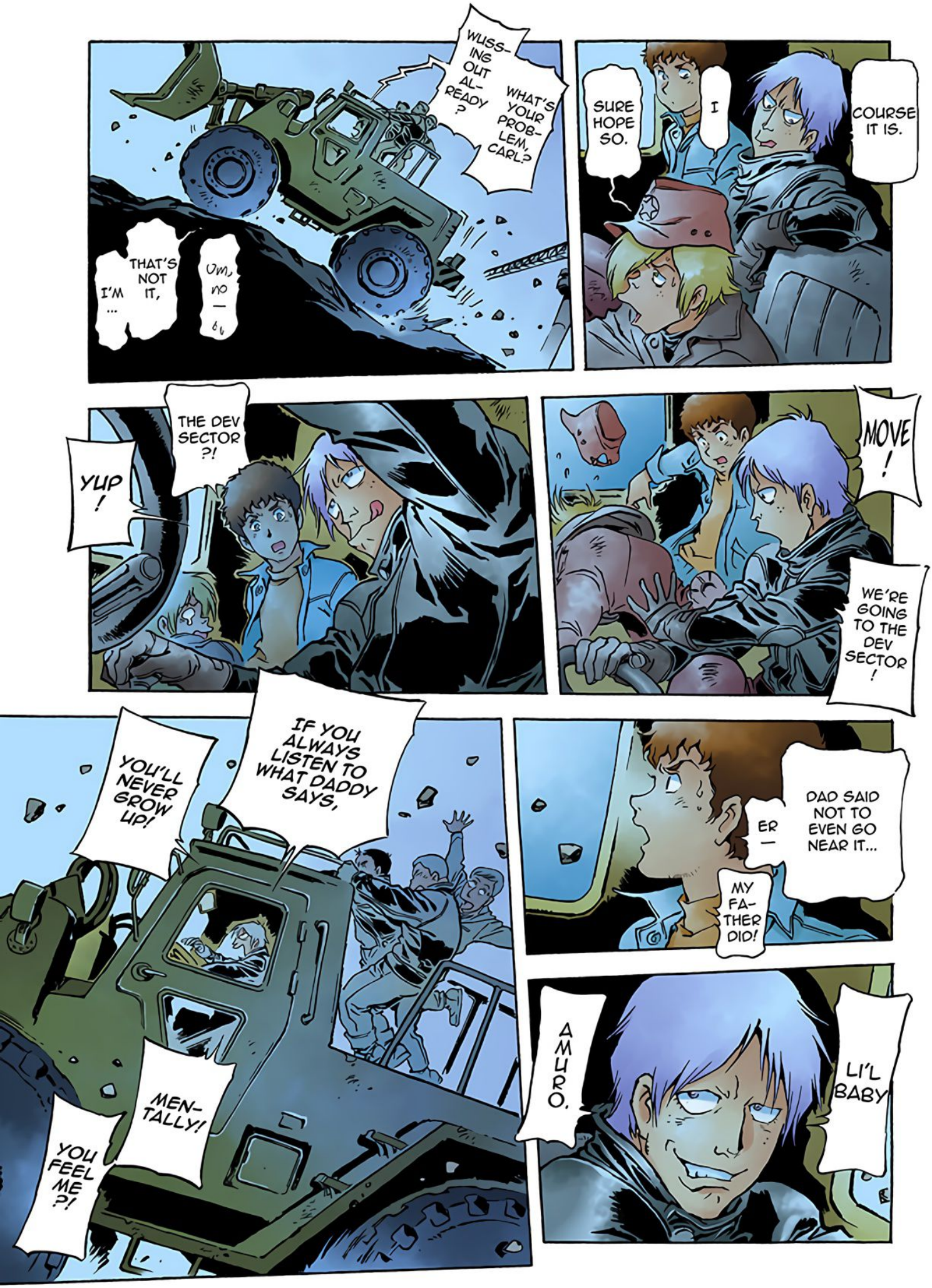
GOTTA GET IN A LITTLE ADVENTURE WHILE YOU'RE STILL YOUNG.
STAYIN' IN ALL THE TIME JUST ISN'T GOOD FOR YOU, AMURO.

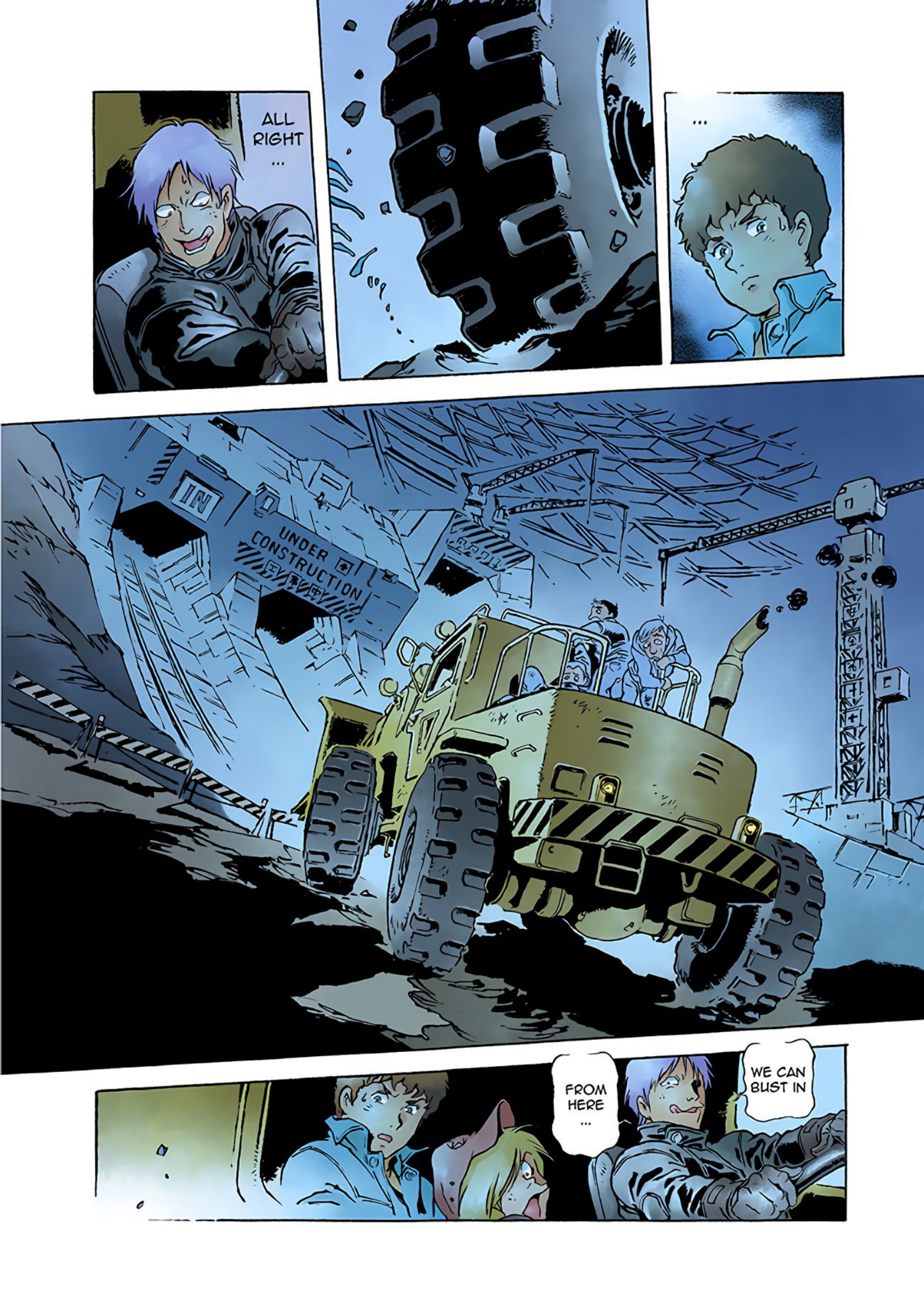
HAYATO FROM NEXT DOOR'S WITH US.
GIVE IT UP.
YOU'RE COM-IN'.

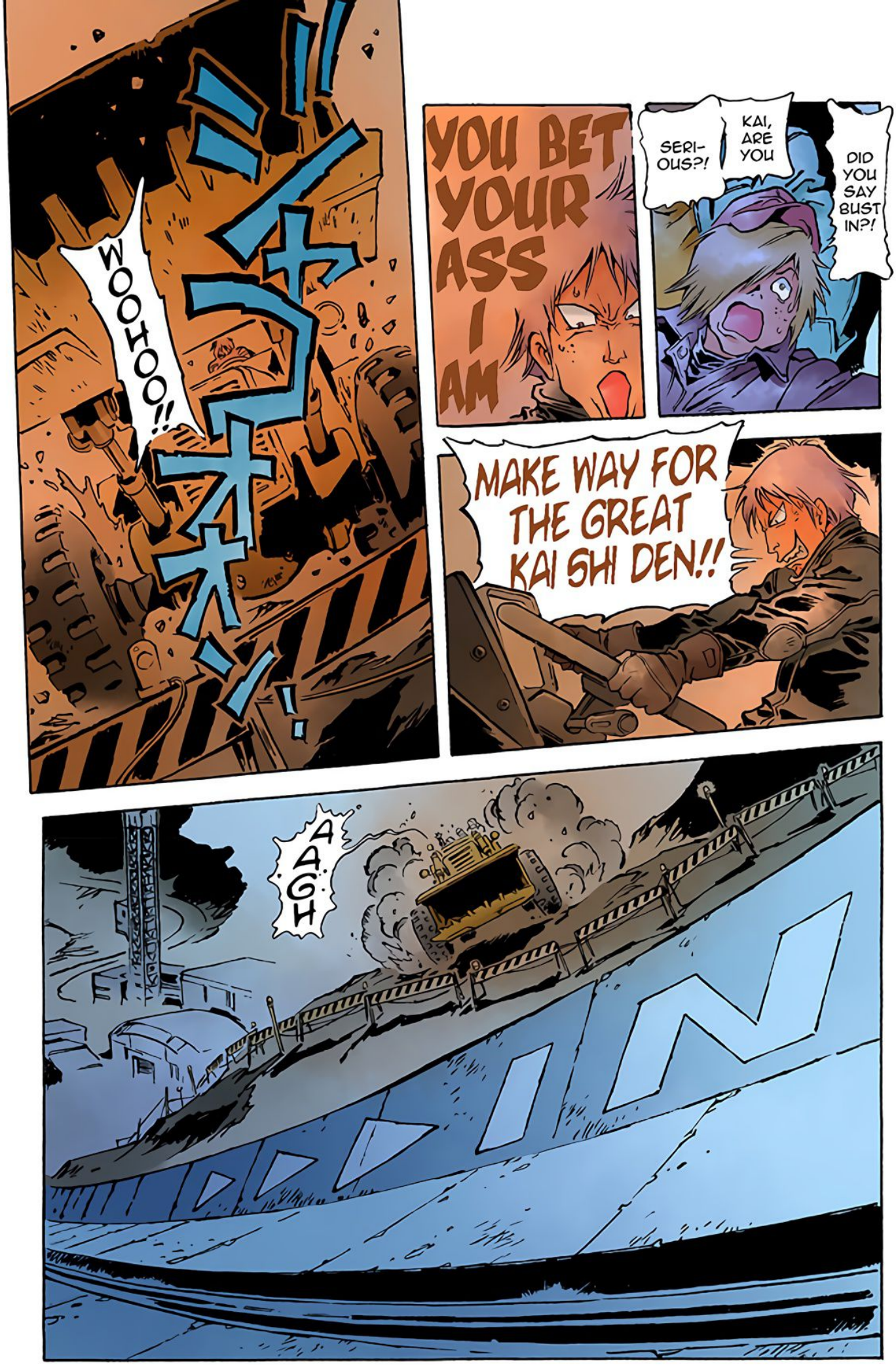

HEY, C'MON AND MAN UP, AMURO!
I'M NOT ...


HERE GOES!!

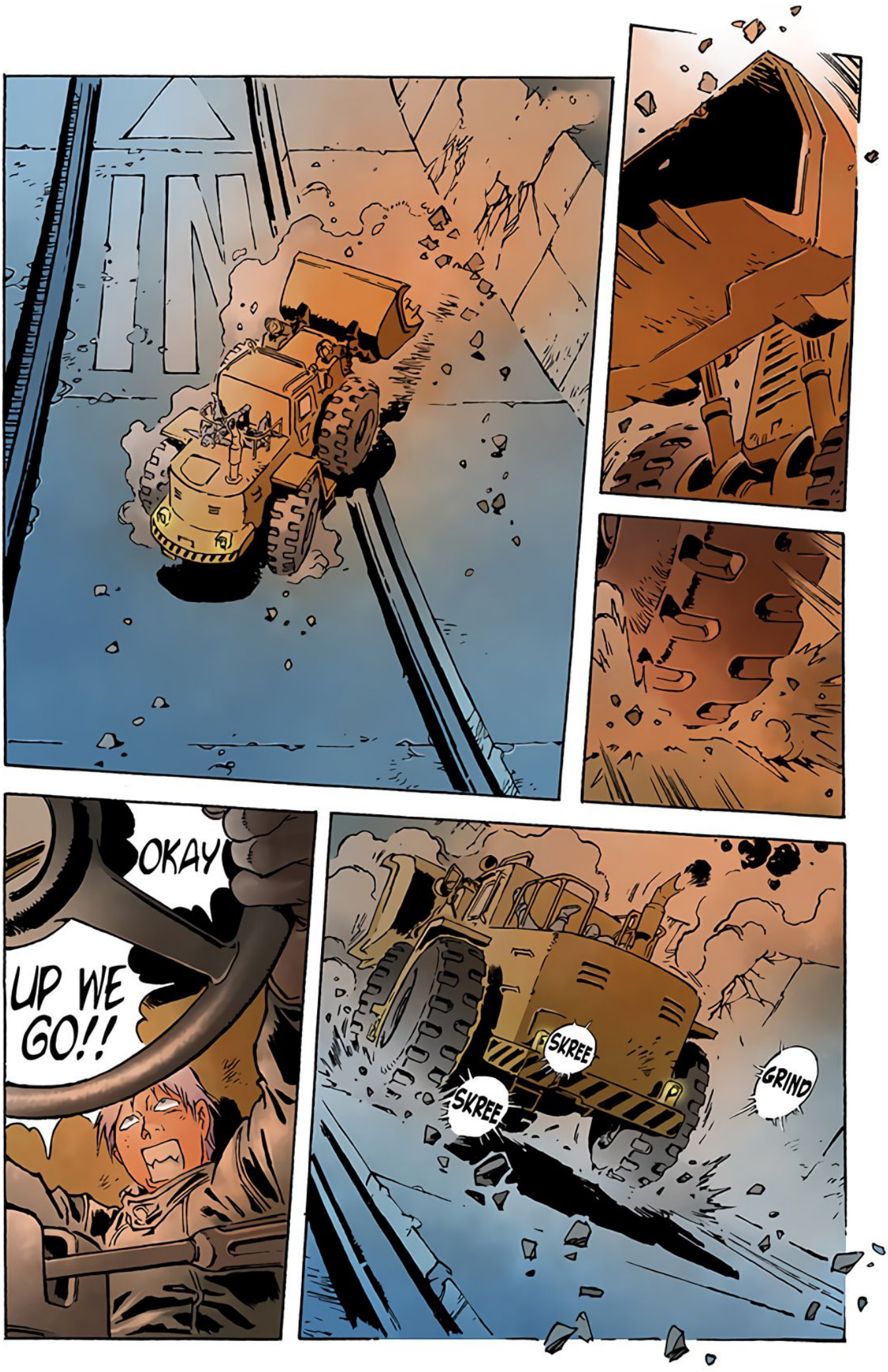

OUT THERE THEY'RE SAYING THERE'S GONNA BE A WAR, BUT IN HERE...
THERE'S NOTHING COOL HERE.
TSK !
NOTHING BUT BUILD SITES.
DON'T YA THINK ?
FEELS LIKE WE'RE THROWING AWAY A CHAPTER OF OUR PRECIOUS YOUTH, Y'KNOW?
HEY, KAI?
THE DEV SEC-TOR
IS PRES-SUR-IZED, RIGHT ?

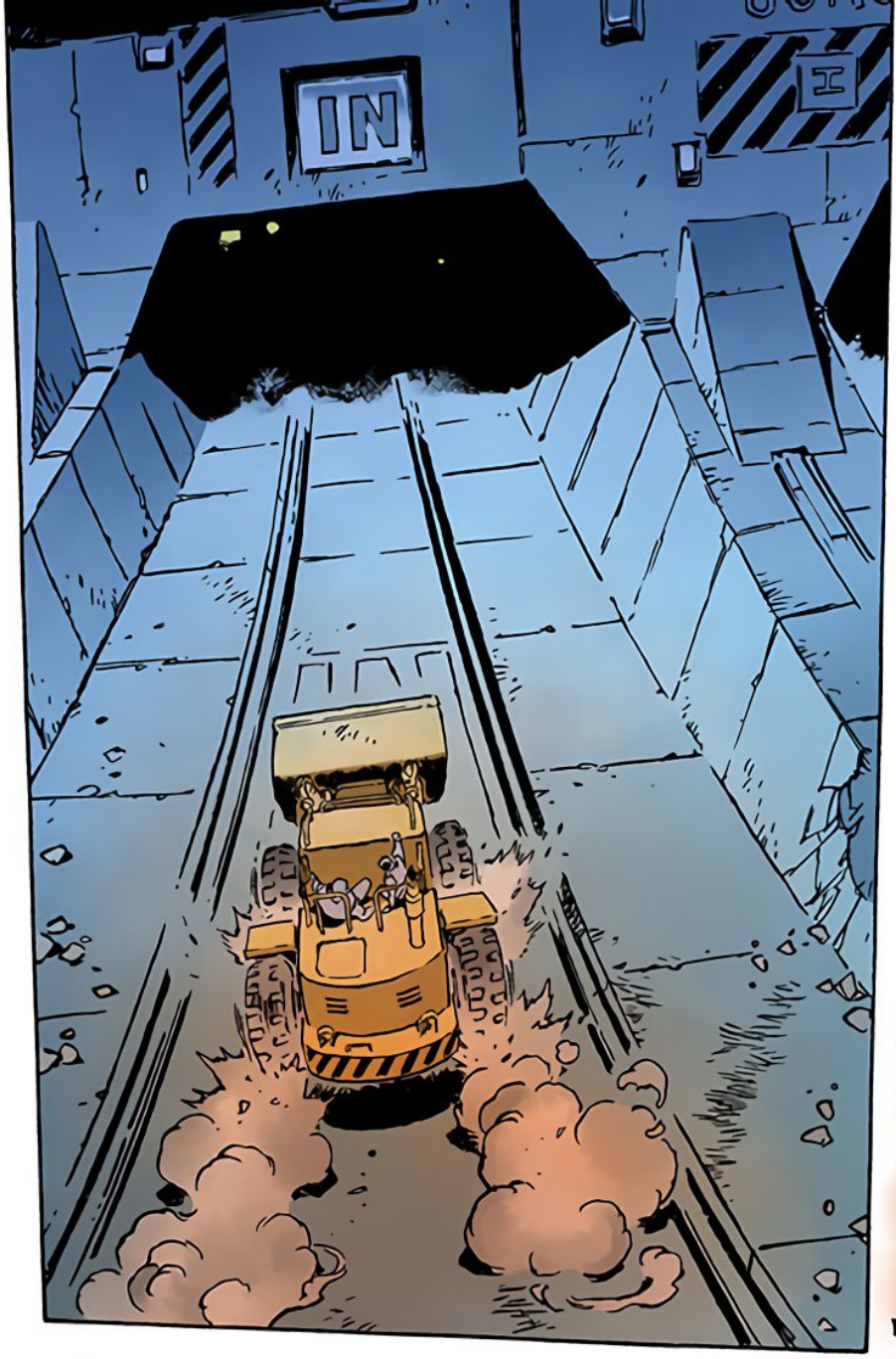

WUSS-ING OUT AL-READY?
WHAT'S YOUR PROB-LEM, CARL?
THAT'S NOT IT, I'M ...
Um, no —
I SURE HOPE SO.
COURSE IT IS.
THE DEV SECTOR?!
YUP!
MOVE!
WE'RE GOING TO THE DEV SECTOR!
IF YOU ALWAYS LISTEN TO WHAT DADDY SAYS,
YOU'LL NEVER GROW UP!
MEN-TALLY!
YOU FEEL ME?!
ER —
DAD SAID NOT TO EVEN GO NEAR IT...
MY FA-THER DID!
AMURO.
LI'L BABY


ALL RIGHT ...
...
IN
UNDER CONSTRUCTION
FROM HERE ...
WE CAN BUST IN


WOOHOO!!
YOU BET YOUR ASS I AM
DID YOU SAY BUST IN?!
KAI, ARE YOU
SERI-OUS?!
MAKE WAY FOR THE GREAT KAI SHI DEN!!
AAGH

NOT MY IDEA!


OKAY
UP WE GO!!
SKREE
SKREE
GRIND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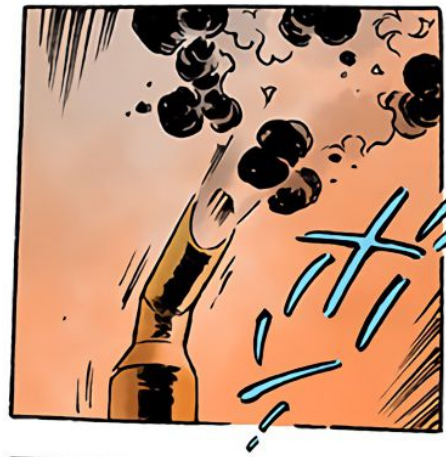
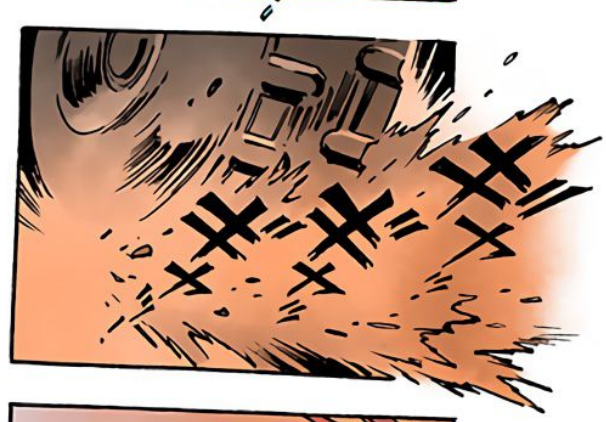
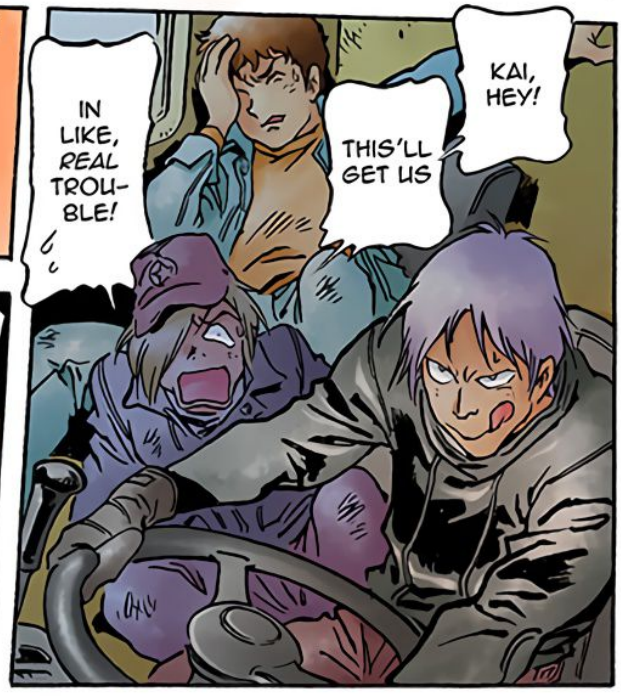
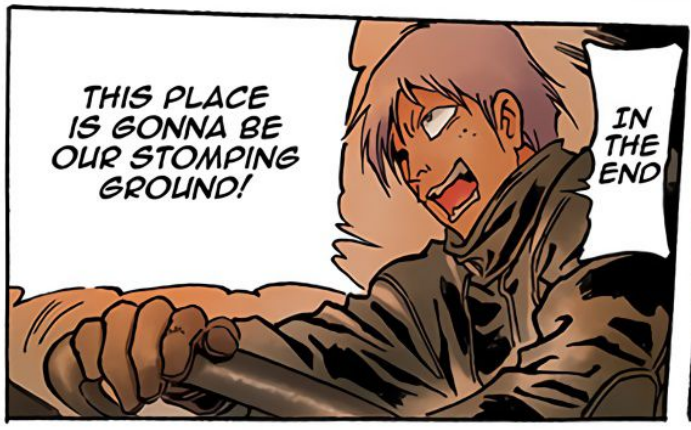




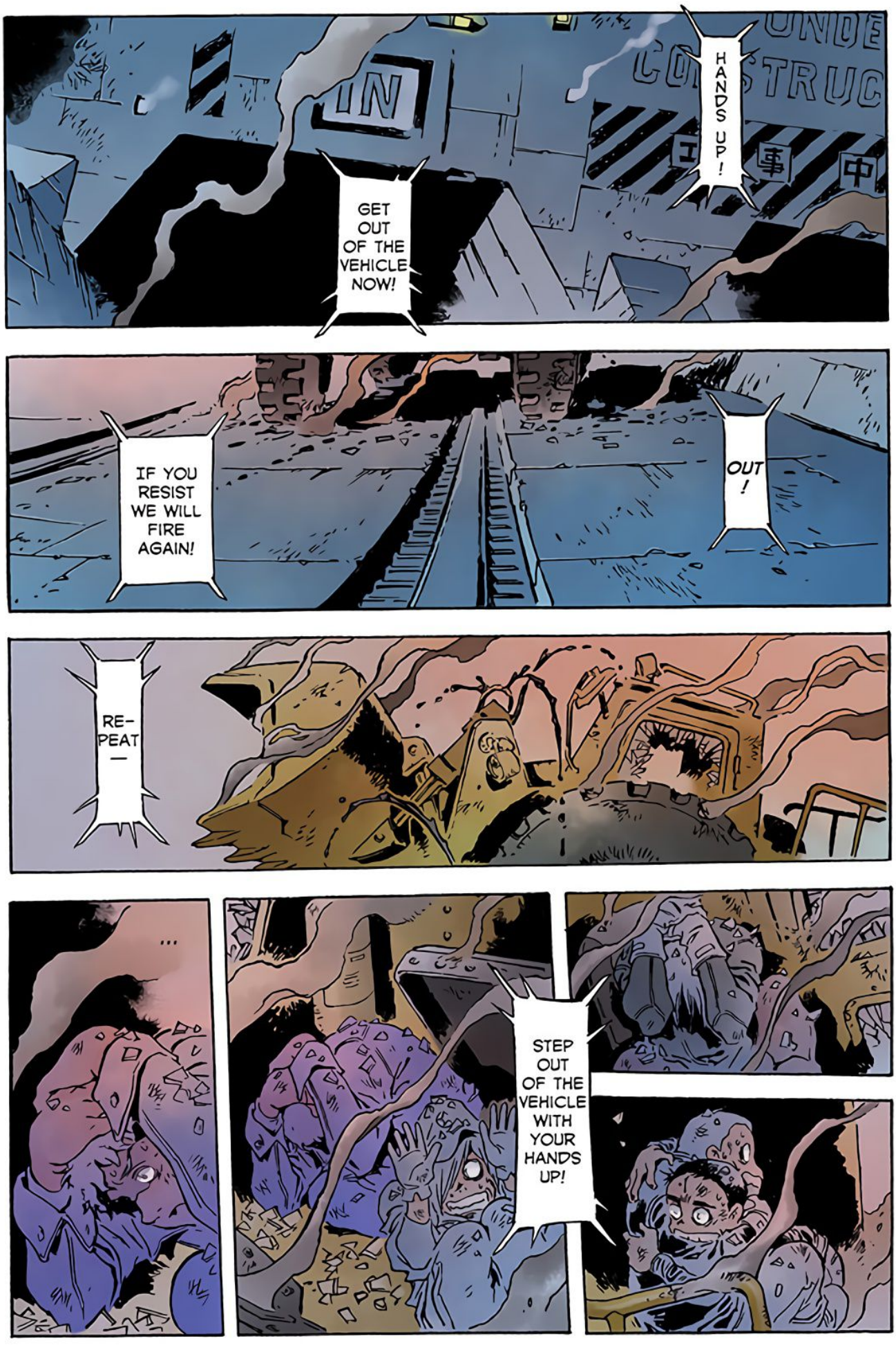
GO!

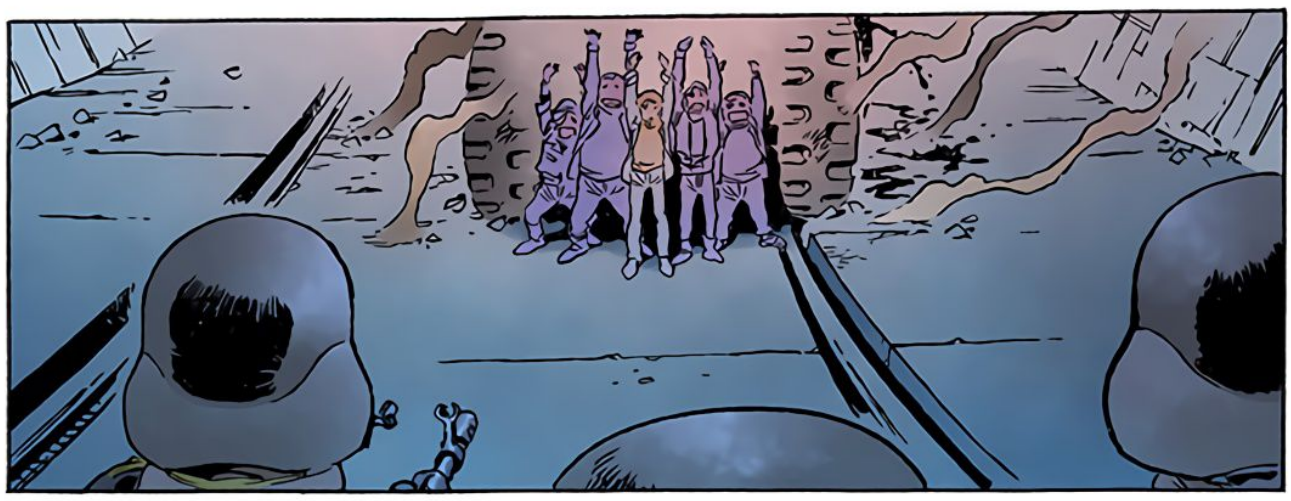
CAN
IT

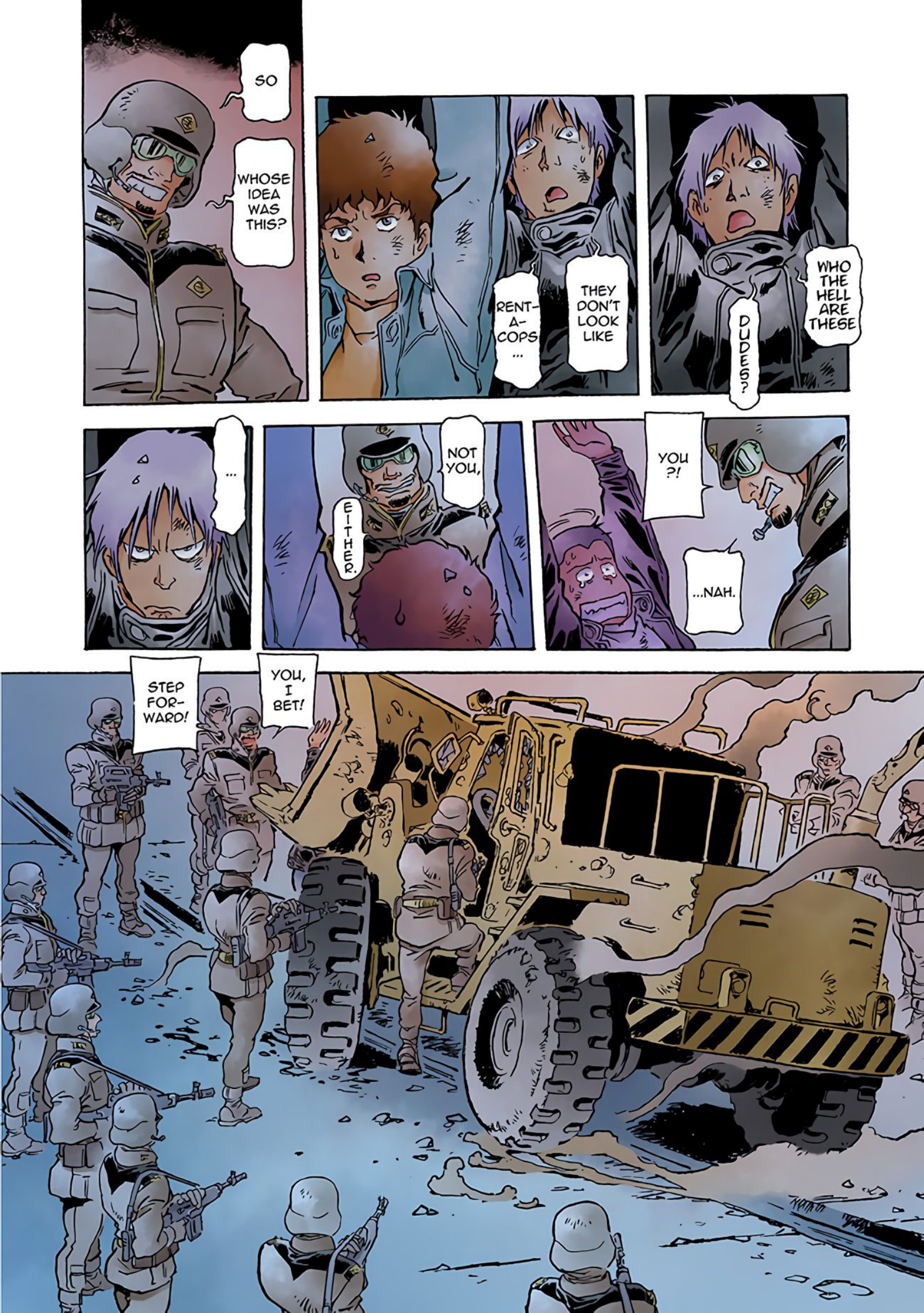

KAI, HEY!
THIS'LL GET US
IN LIKE, REAL TROU-BLE!

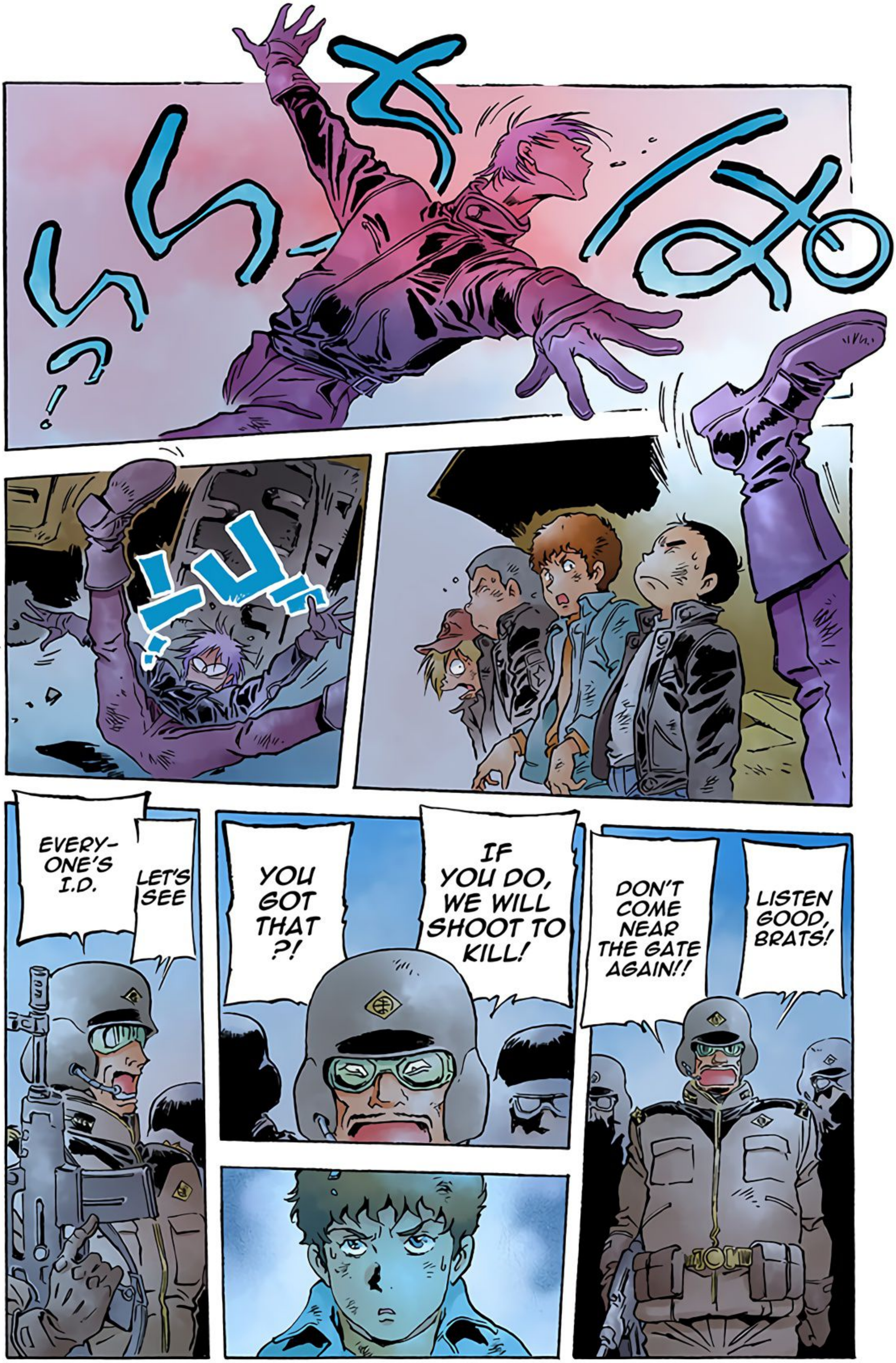

IN THE END
THIS PLACE IS GONNA BE OUR STOMPING GROUND!

THEY'VE ACTUALLY GOTTEN BEHIND THIS WALL!
I JUST WANNA HAVE A SEE HOW FAR
WHAT THE HELL'S TAKING THE COLONY CORPORATION SO LONG, ANYWAY?!
WHAT?

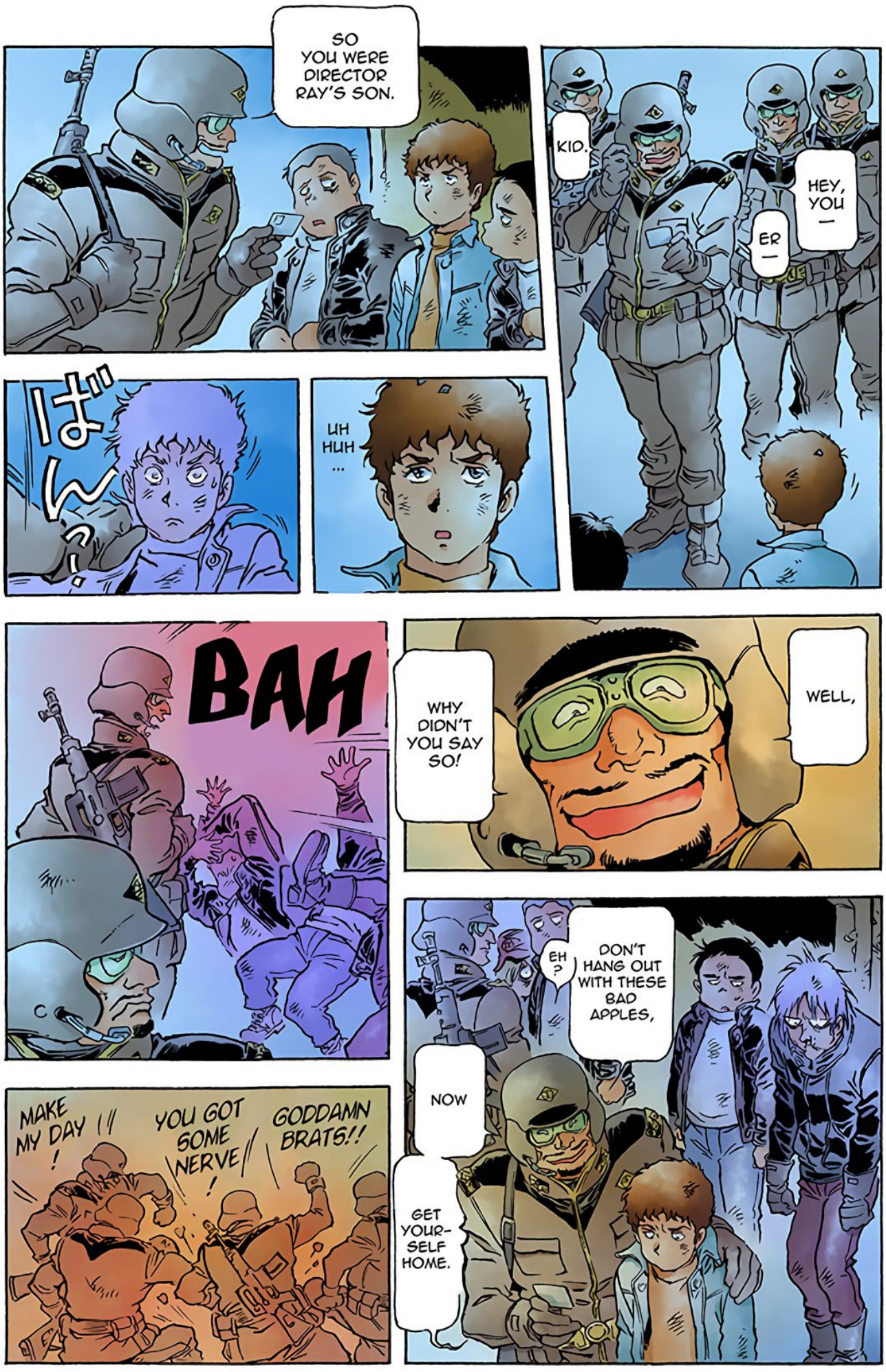

HANDS UP!
GET OUT OF THE VEHICLE NOW!
OUT!
IF YOU RESIST WE WILL FIRE AGAIN!
RE-PEAT —
...
STEP OUT OF THE VEHICLE WITH YOUR HANDS UP!




SO
WHOSE IDEA WAS THIS?
THEY DON'T LOOK LIKE
RENT-A-COPS ...
WHO THE HELL ARE THESE
DUDES?
...
NOT YOU,
EITHER.
YOU ?!
...NAH.
STEP FOR-WARD!
YOU, I BET!


LISTEN GOOD, BRATS!
DON'T COME NEAR THE GATE AGAIN!!
IF YOU DO, WE WILL SHOOT TO KILL!
YOU GOT THAT?!
LET'S SEE
EVERY-ONE'S I.D.

JUST SO YOU DON'T TRY THIS AGAIN!
PUNISH-MENT, WE'LL HANG ONTO THEM FOR A WHILE
AS
...
...
...


SO YOU WERE DIRECTOR RAY'S SON.
KID.
HEY, YOU —
ER —
ばん
UH HUH ...
BAH
WELL,
WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO!
EH ?
DON'T HANG OUT WITH THESE BAD APPLES,
NOW
GET YOUR-SELF HOME.
MAKE MY DAY !
YOU GOT SOME NERVE !
GODDAMN BRATS!!

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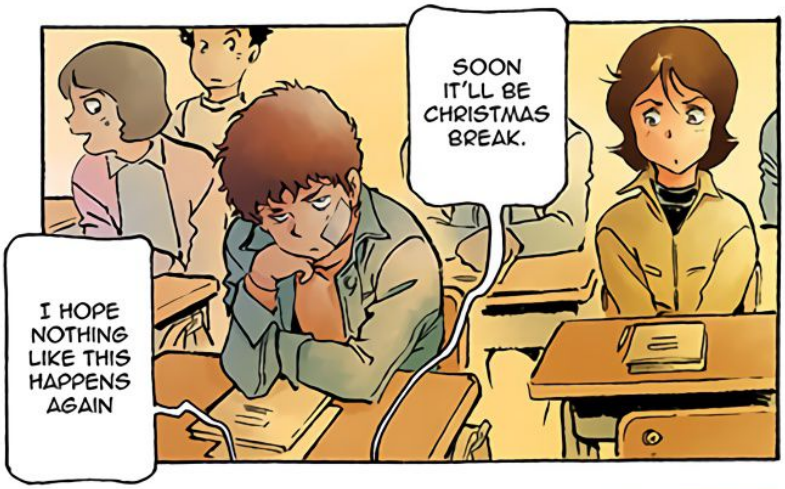
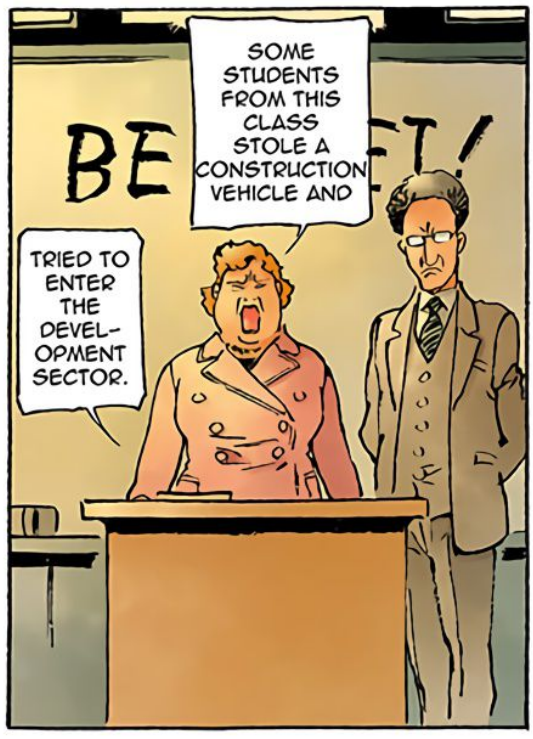
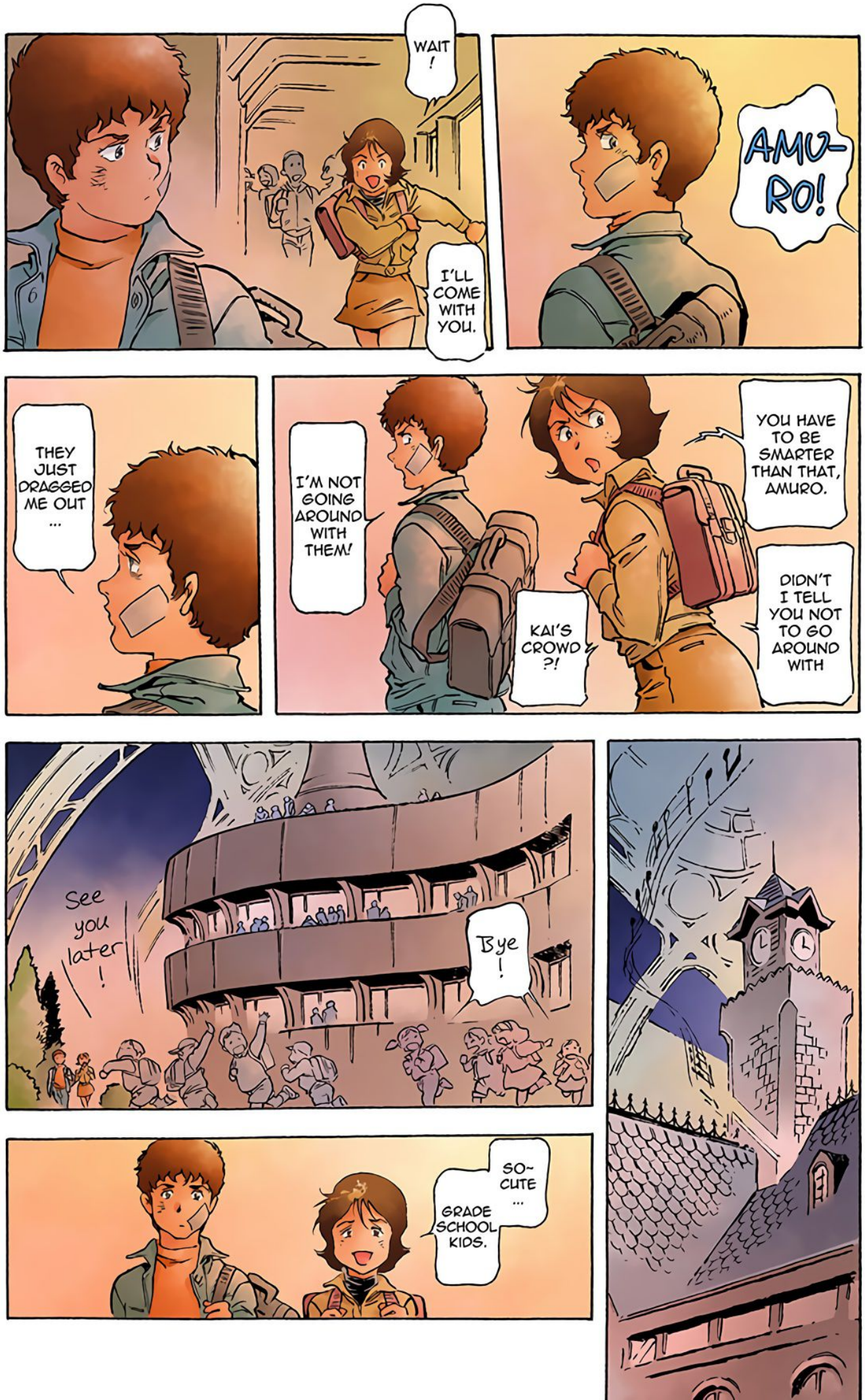
BE QUIET!
BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN THE SAME WOULD GO FOR ANY OTHERS!
LUCKILY FOR THEM, THEY WERE RELEASED,

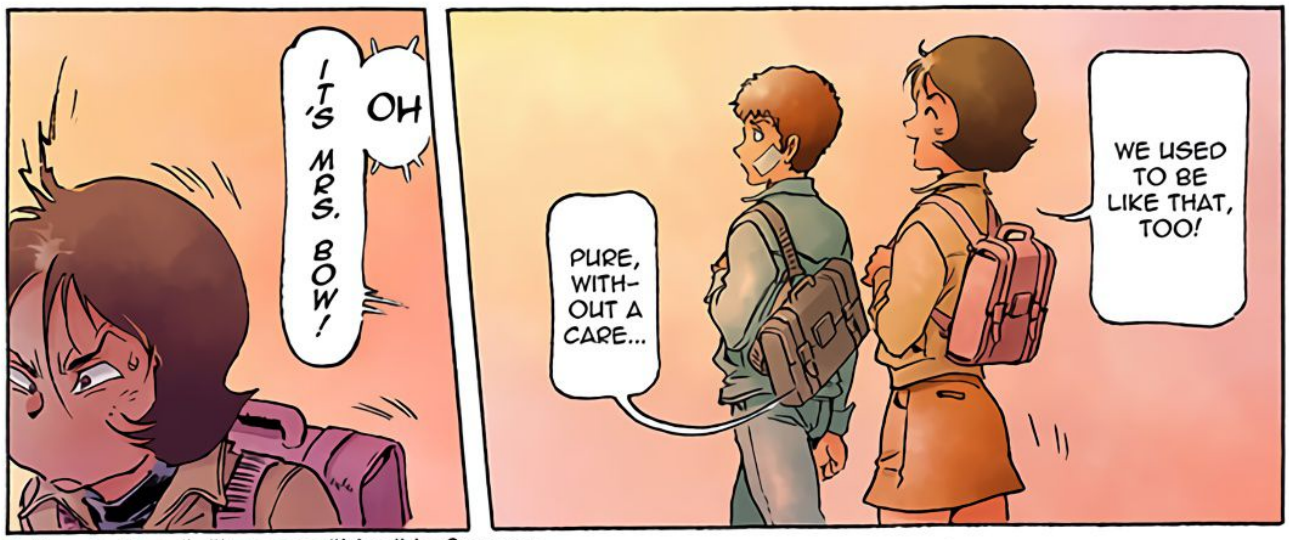
WE'VE HAD A DISTURBING INCIDENT.


SOON IT'LL BE CHRISTMAS BREAK.
I HOPE NOTHING LIKE THIS HAPPENS AGAIN

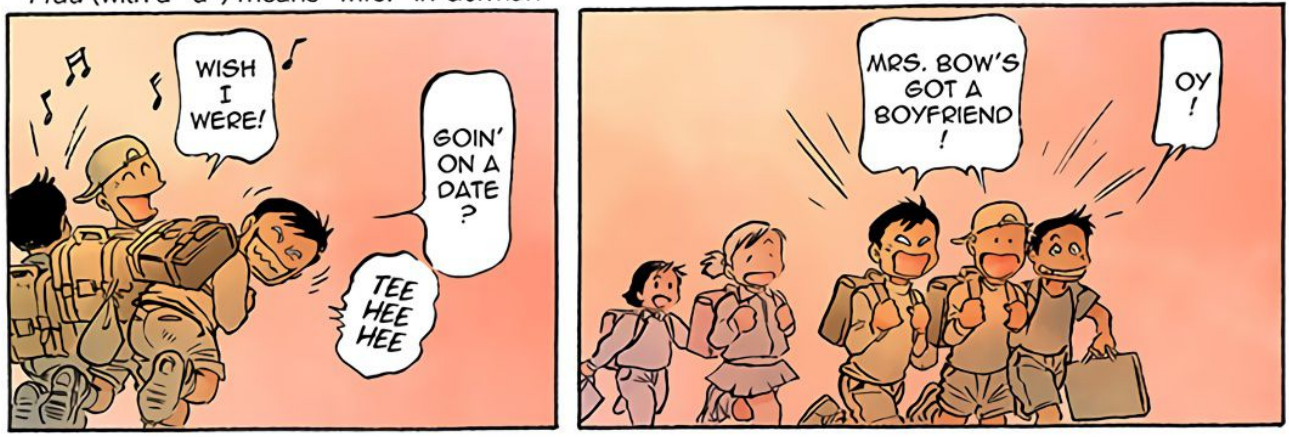

SOME STUDENTS FROM THIS CLASS STOLE A CONSTRUCTION VEHICLE AND
TRIED TO ENTER THE DEVEL-OPMENT SECTOR.

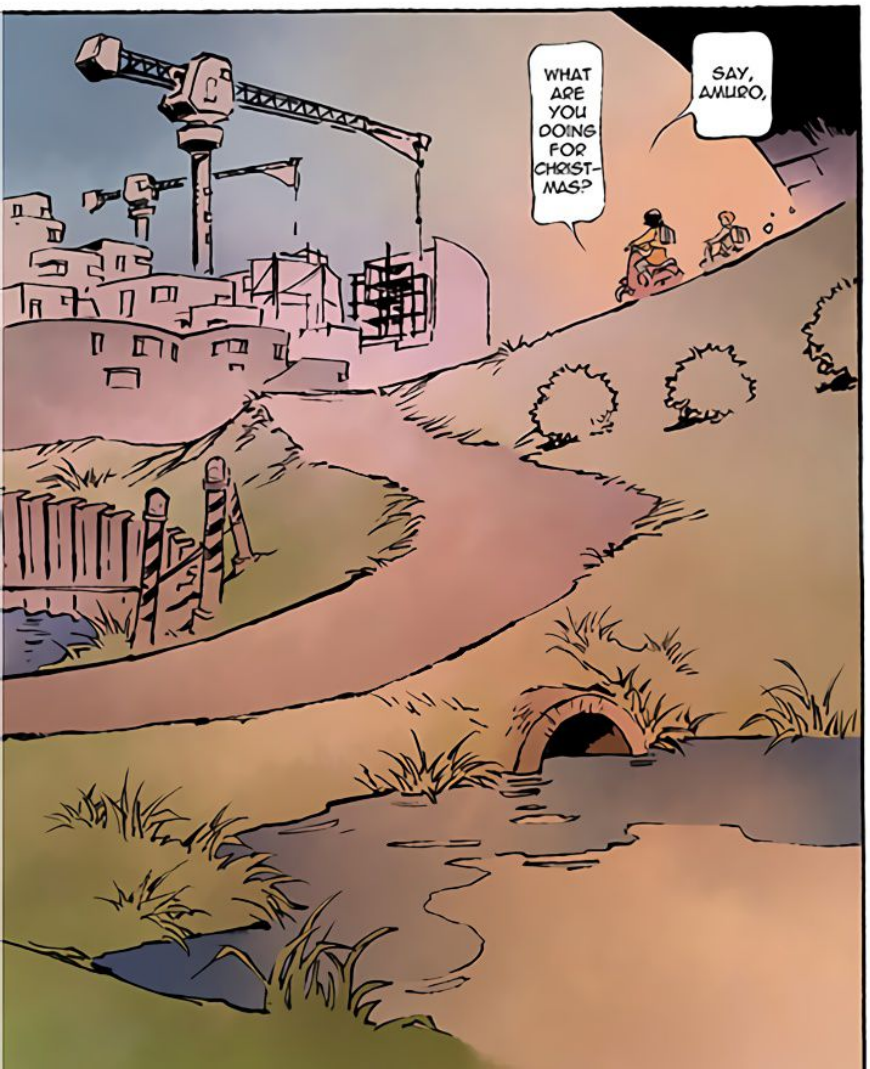
AND
PLEASE DON'T COURT DANGER
OVER VACA-TION.
NO MATTER WHAT, STAY AWAY FROM THE DEVEL-OPMENT SECTOR.

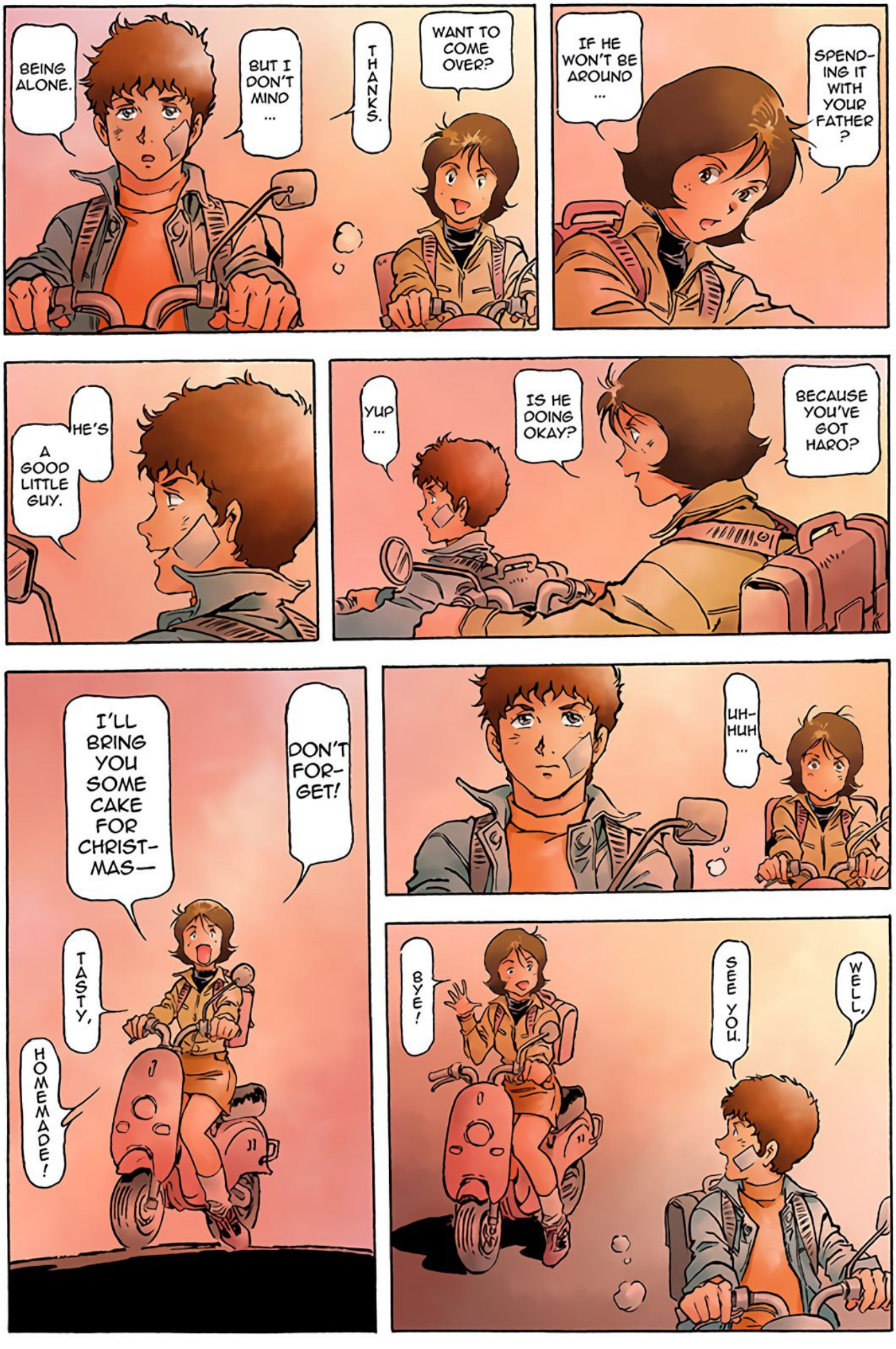

WAIT !
I'LL COME WITH YOU.
AMU-RO!
THEY JUST DRAGGED ME OUT ...
I'M NOT GOING AROUND WITH THEM!
KAI'S CROWD ?!
YOU HAVE TO BE SMARTER THAN THAT, AMURO.
DIDN'T I TELL YOU NOT TO GO AROUND WITH
See you later !
Bye !
SO~ CUTE ...
GRADE SCHOOL KIDS.

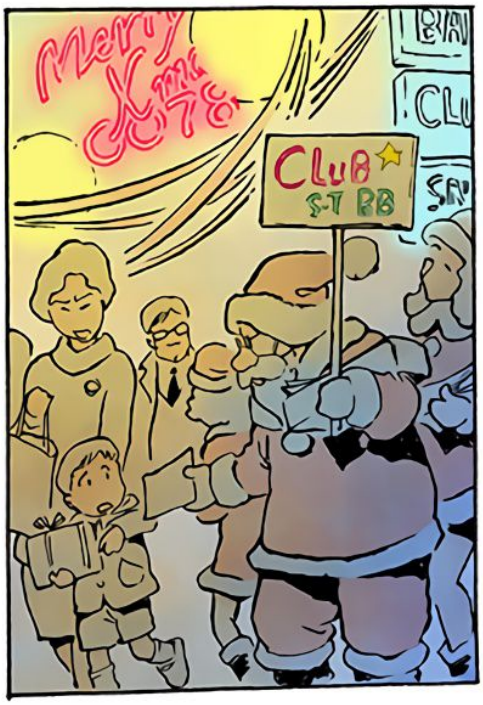


* *Frau* (with a "u") means "Mrs." in German

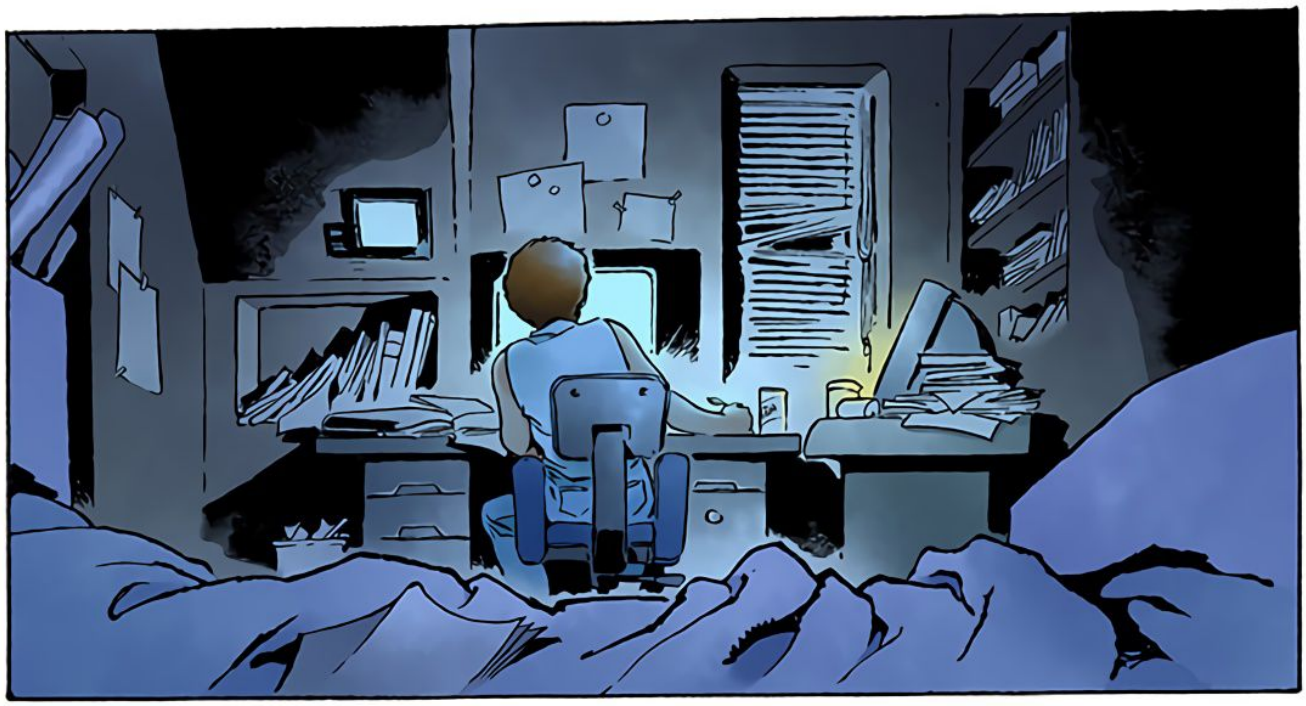


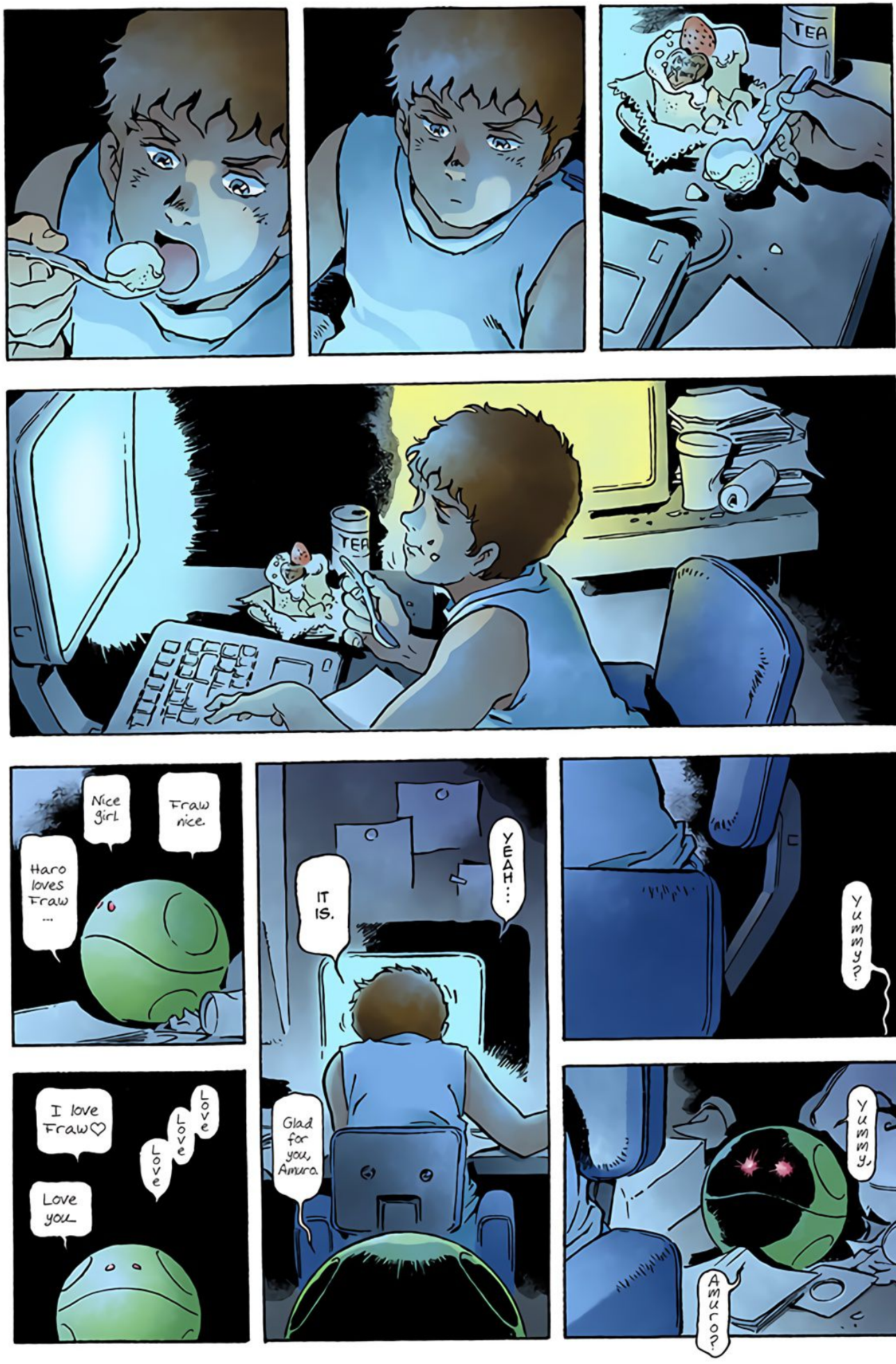


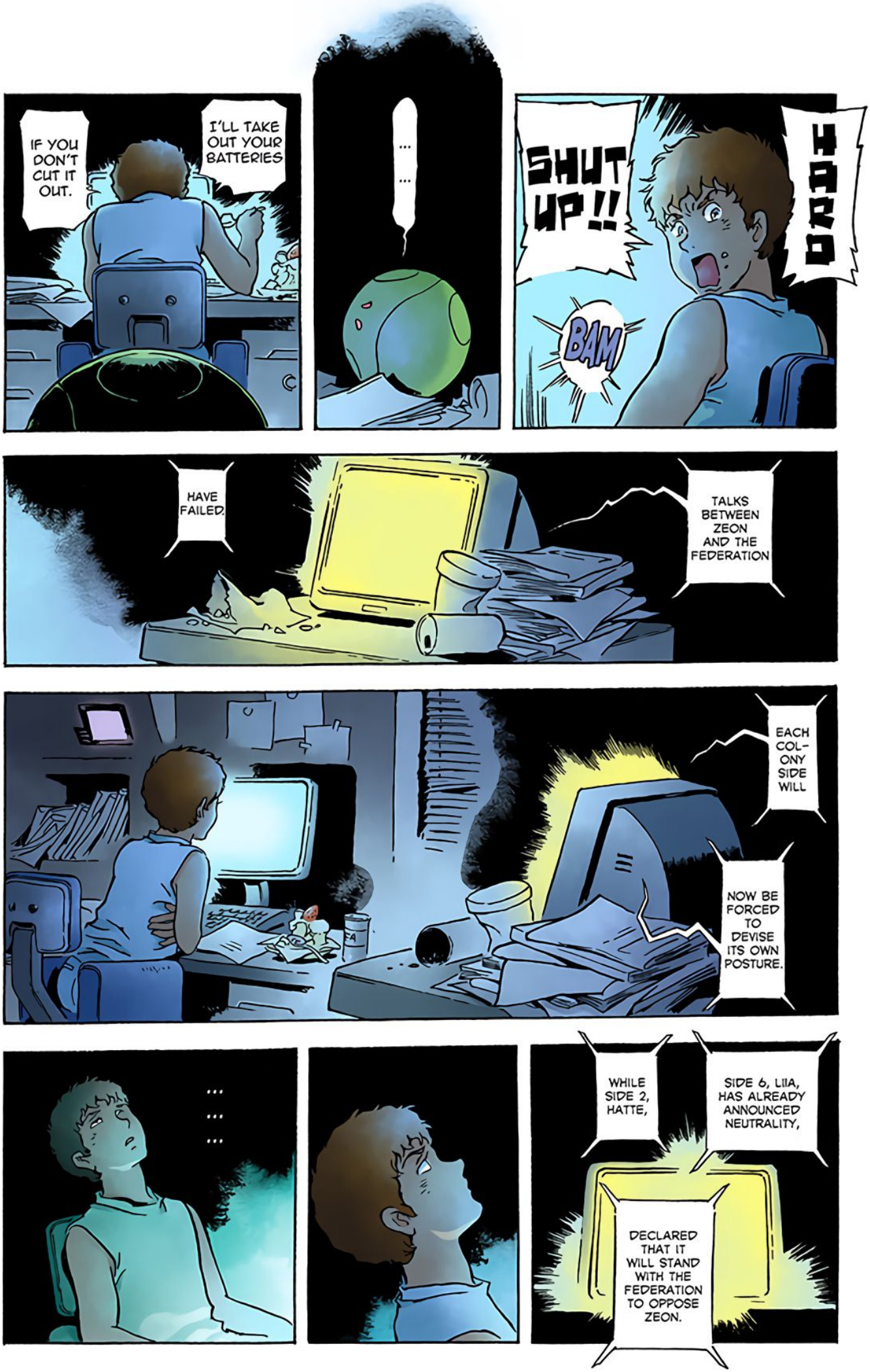

BEING ALONE.
BUT I DON'T MIND ...
THANKS.
WANT TO COME OVER?
IF HE WON'T BE AROUND ...
SPENDING IT WITH YOUR FATHER?
HE'S A GOOD LITTLE GUY.
YUP ...
IS HE DOING OKAY?
BECAUSE YOU'VE GOT HARO?
I'LL BRING YOU SOME CAKE FOR CHRISTMAS—
DON'T FORGET!
TASTY,
HOMEMADE!
UH-HUH ...
BYE!
SEE YOU.
WELL,

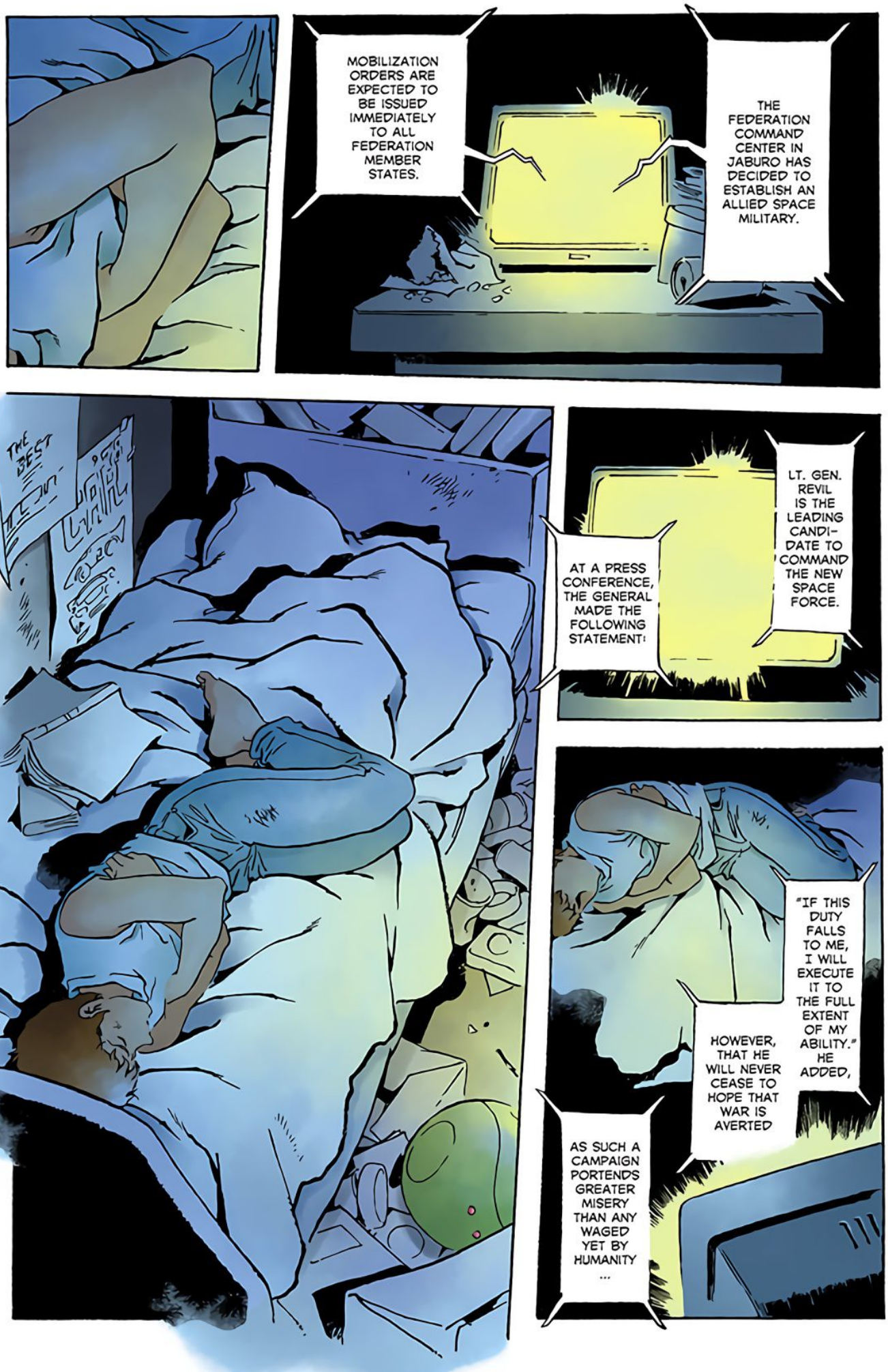

Merry Xmas
CLUB
ST BB

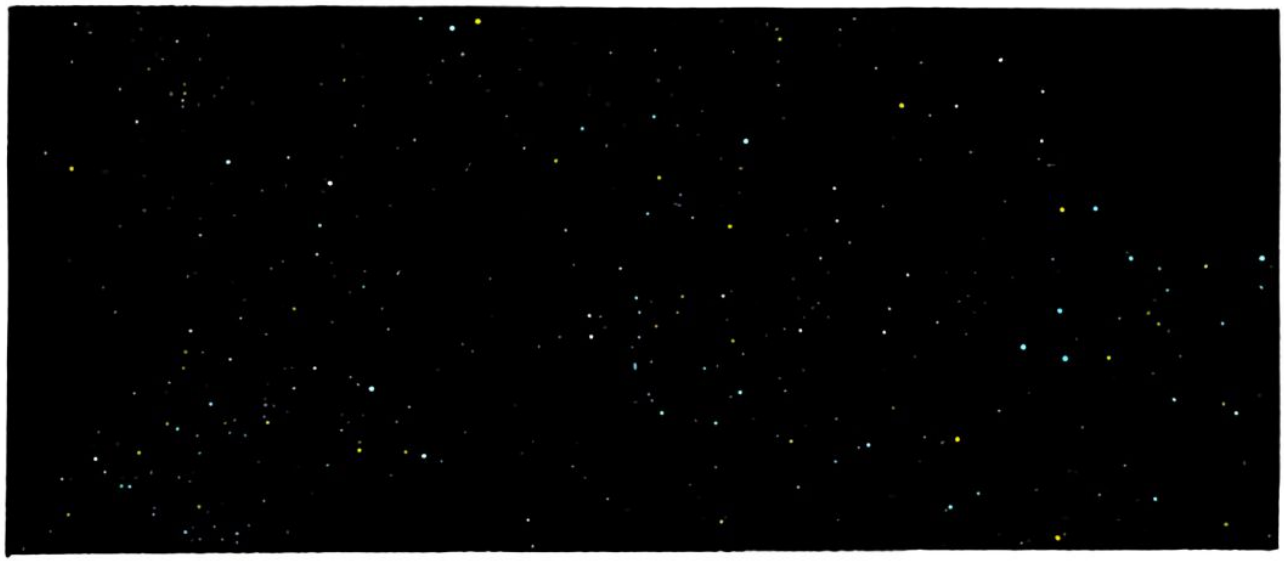
Xmas
SALE
RESTAURANT




TEA
TEA
Yummy?
YEAH...
IT IS.
Glad for you, Amuro.
Yummy.
Amuro?
Nice girl
Fraw nice.
Haro loves Fraw ...
I love Fraw♡
Love
Love
Love
Love you


IF YOU DON'T CUT IT OUT.
I'LL TAKE OUT YOUR BATTERIES
...
...
SHUT UP!!
BAM
HARO
HAVE FAILED.
TALKS BETWEEN ZEON AND THE FEDERATION
EACH COL-ONY SIDE WILL
NOW BE FORCED TO DEVISE ITS OWN POSTURE.
...
...
...
WHILE SIDE 2, HATTE,
SIDE 6, LIIA, HAS ALREADY ANNOUNCED NEUTRALITY,
DECLARED THAT IT WILL STAND WITH THE FEDERATION TO OPPOSE ZEON.


MOBILIZATION ORDERS ARE EXPECTED TO BE ISSUED IMMEDIATELY TO ALL FEDERATION MEMBER STATES.
THE FEDERATION COMMAND CENTER IN JABURO HAS DECIDED TO ESTABLISH AN ALLIED SPACE MILITARY.
LT. GEN. REVIL IS THE LEADING CANDI-DATE TO COMMAND THE NEW SPACE FORCE.
AT A PRESS CONFERENCE, THE GENERAL MADE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
"IF THIS DUTY FALLS TO ME, I WILL EXECUTE IT TO THE FULL EXTENT OF MY ABILITY." HE ADDED,
HOWEVER, THAT HE WILL NEVER CEASE TO HOPE THAT WAR IS AVERTED
AS SUCH A CAMPAIGN PORTENDS GREATER MISERY THAN ANY WAGED YET BY HUMANITY ...



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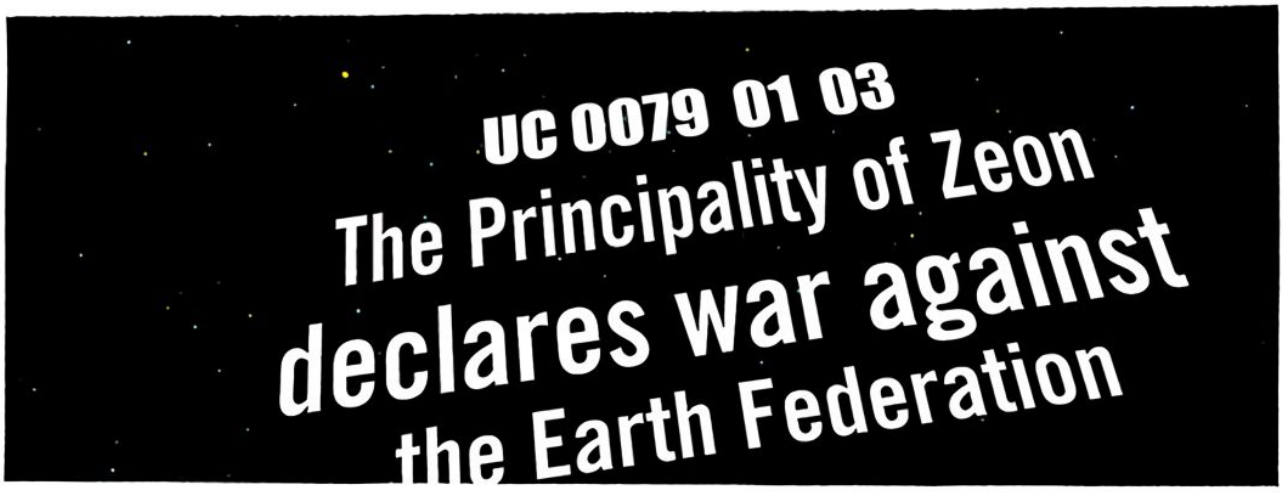
The Principality of Zeon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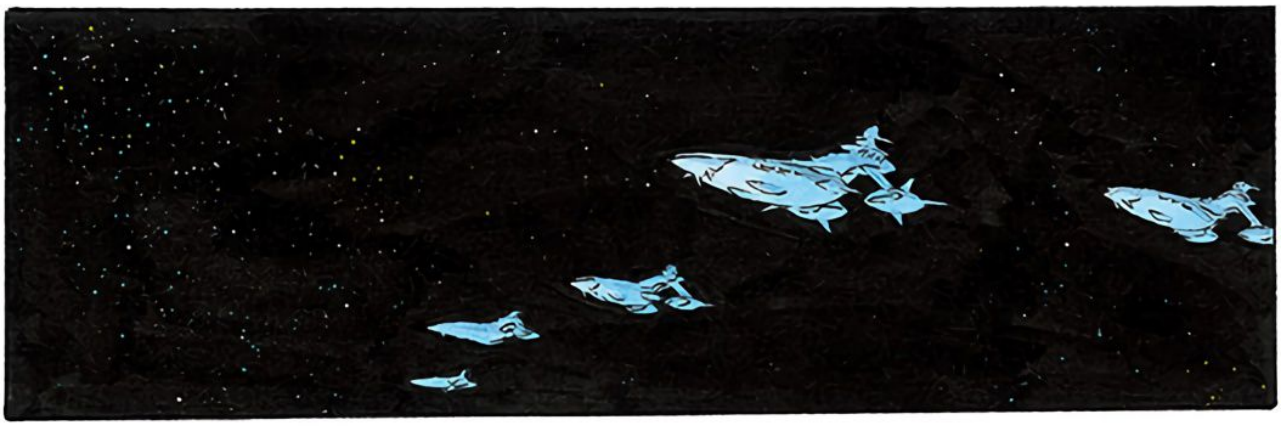
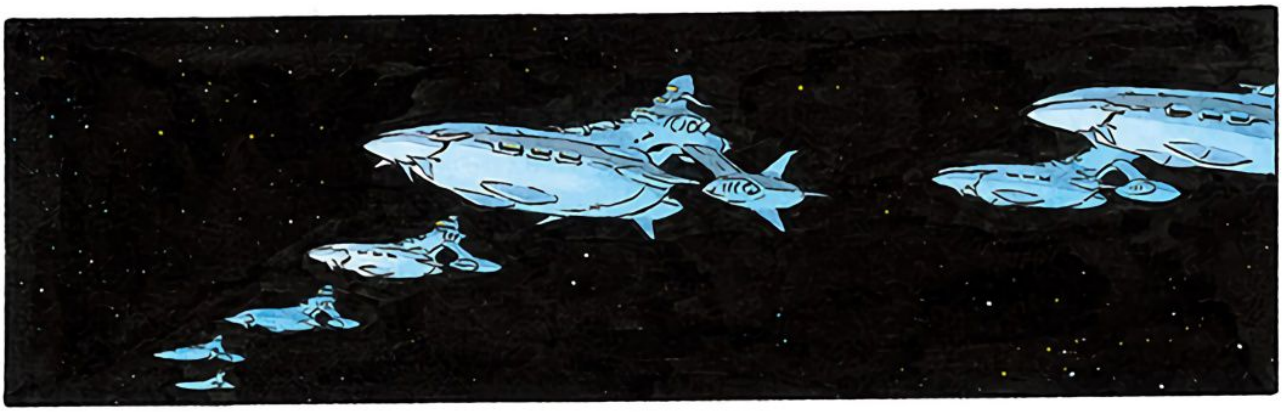
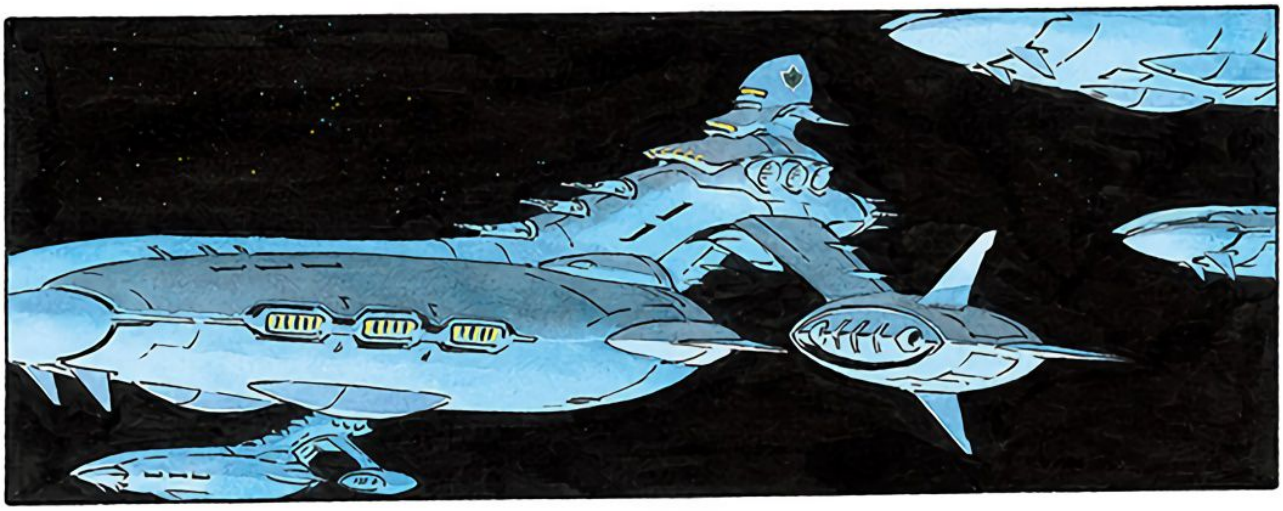
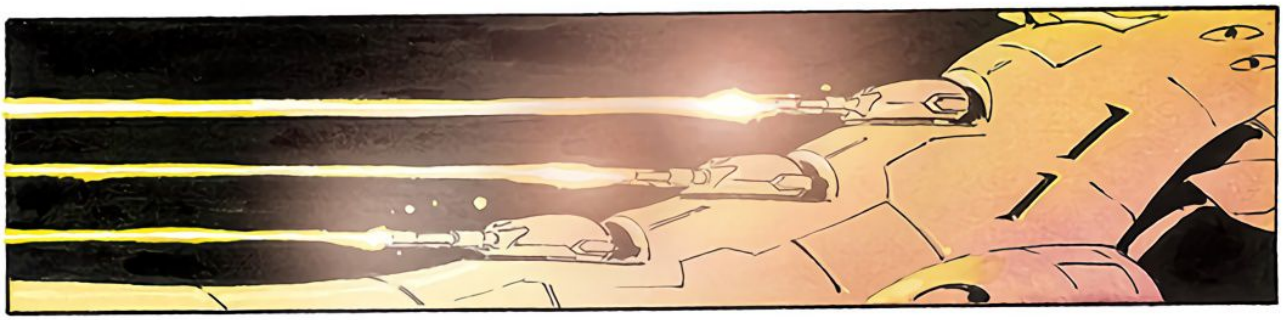
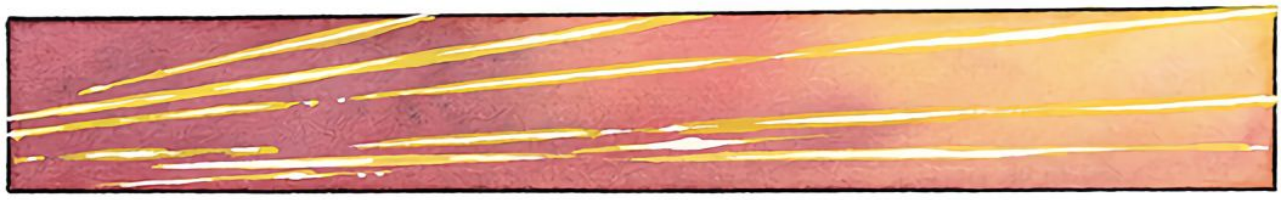
The Principality of Zeon
declares war against
the Earth Federation

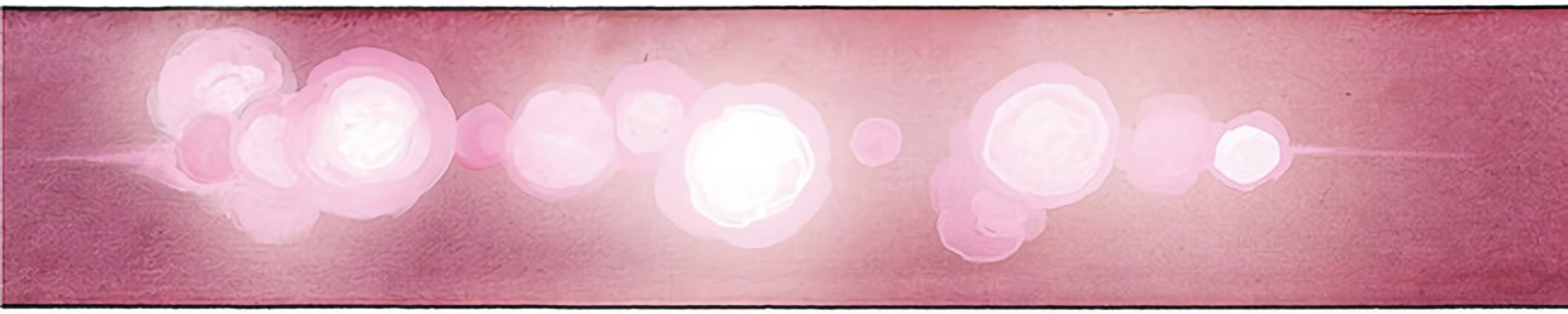


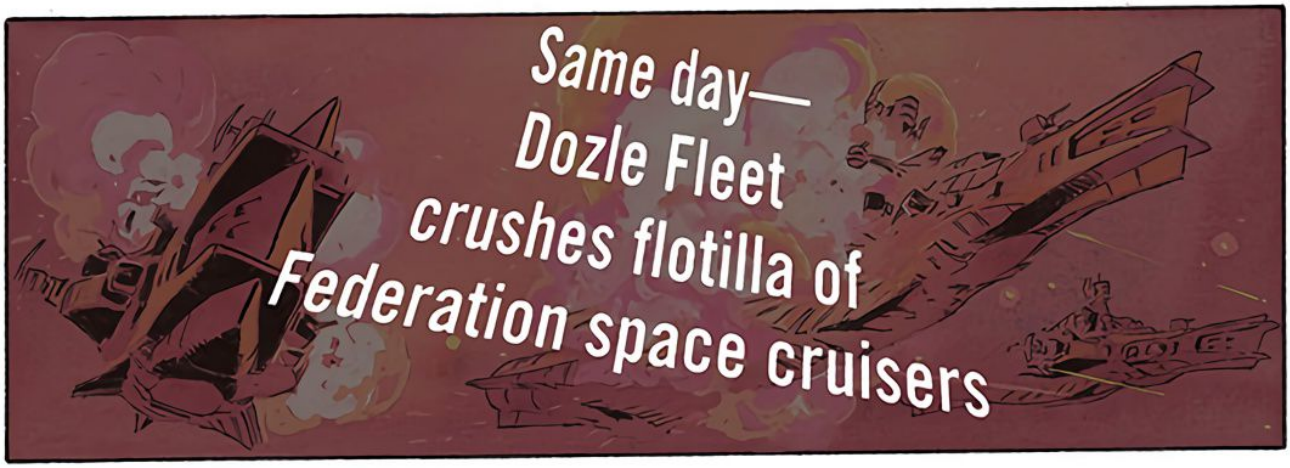


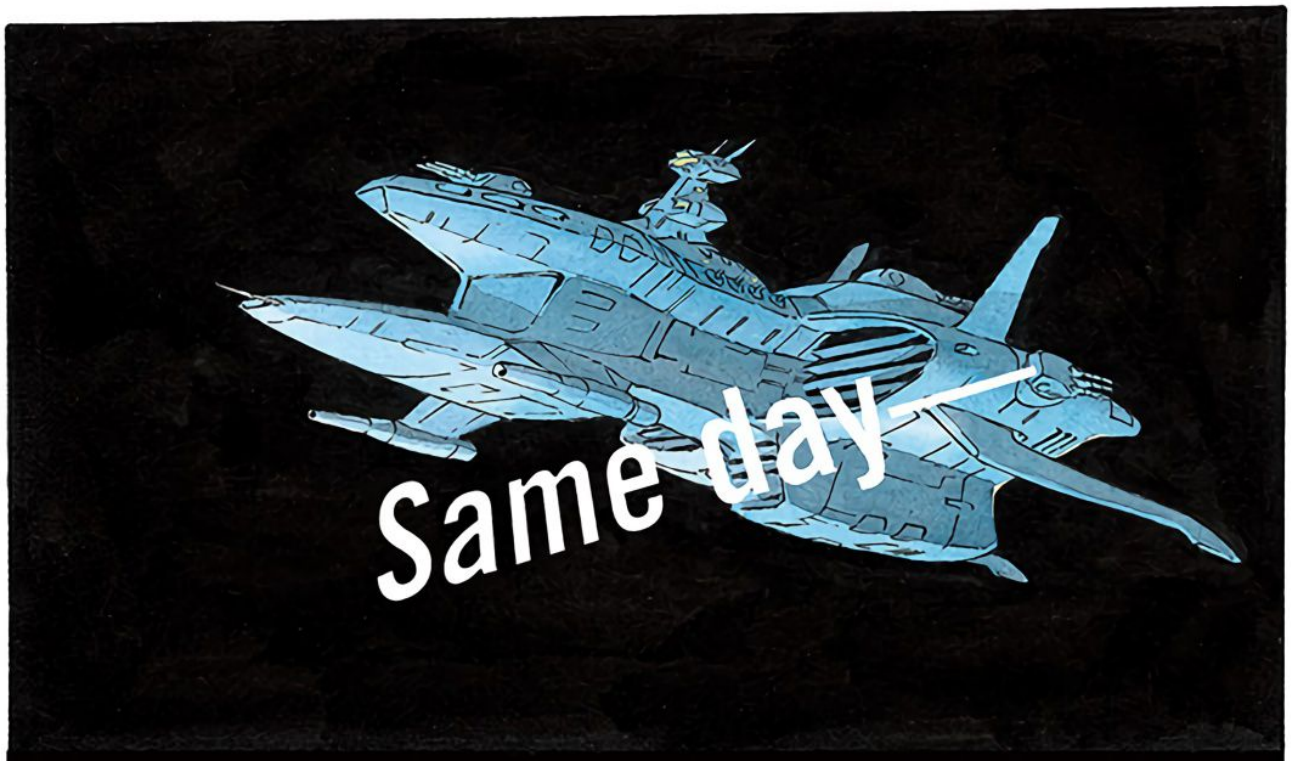









Same day—
Dozle Fleet
crushes flotilla of
Federation space cruisers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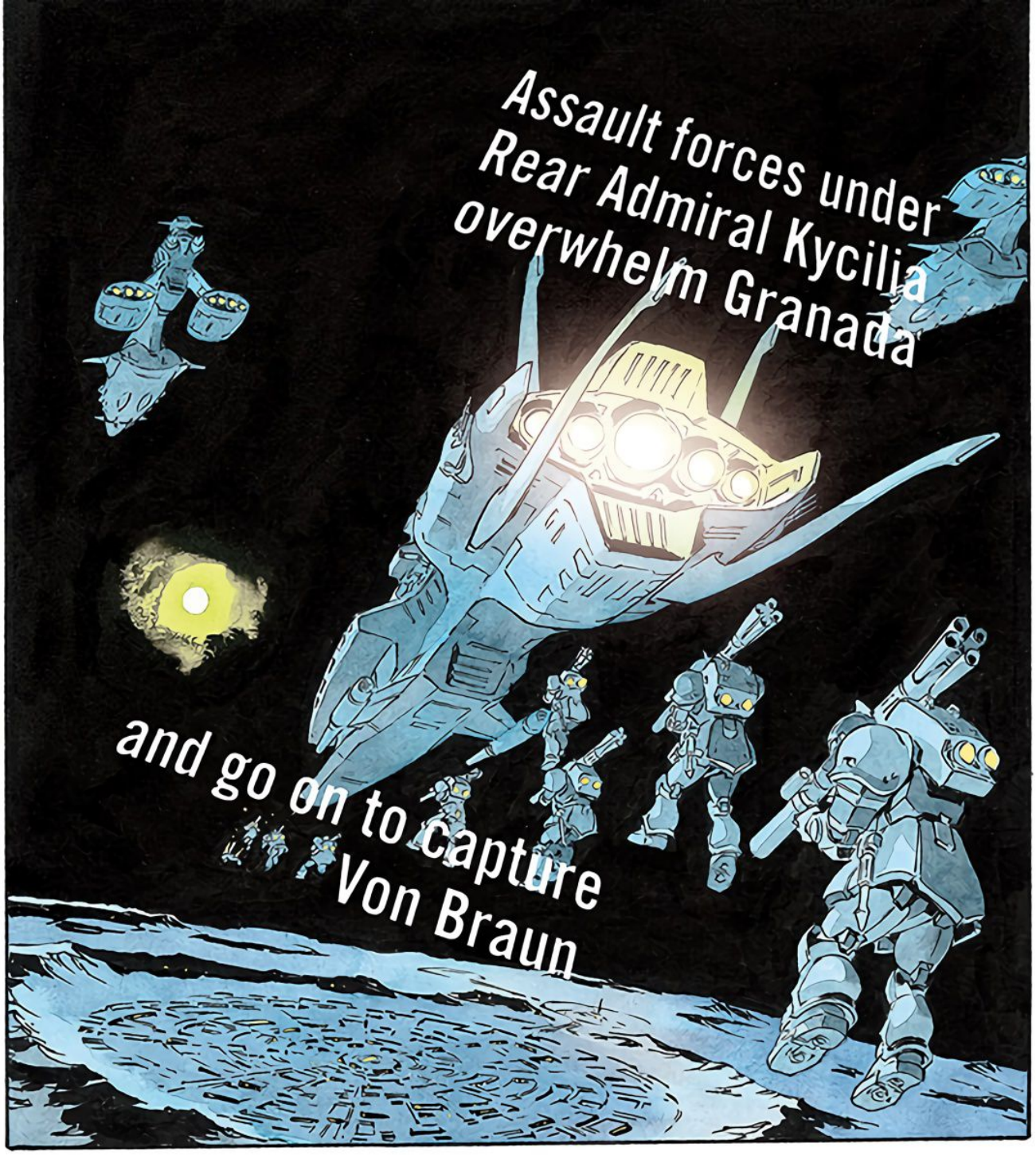
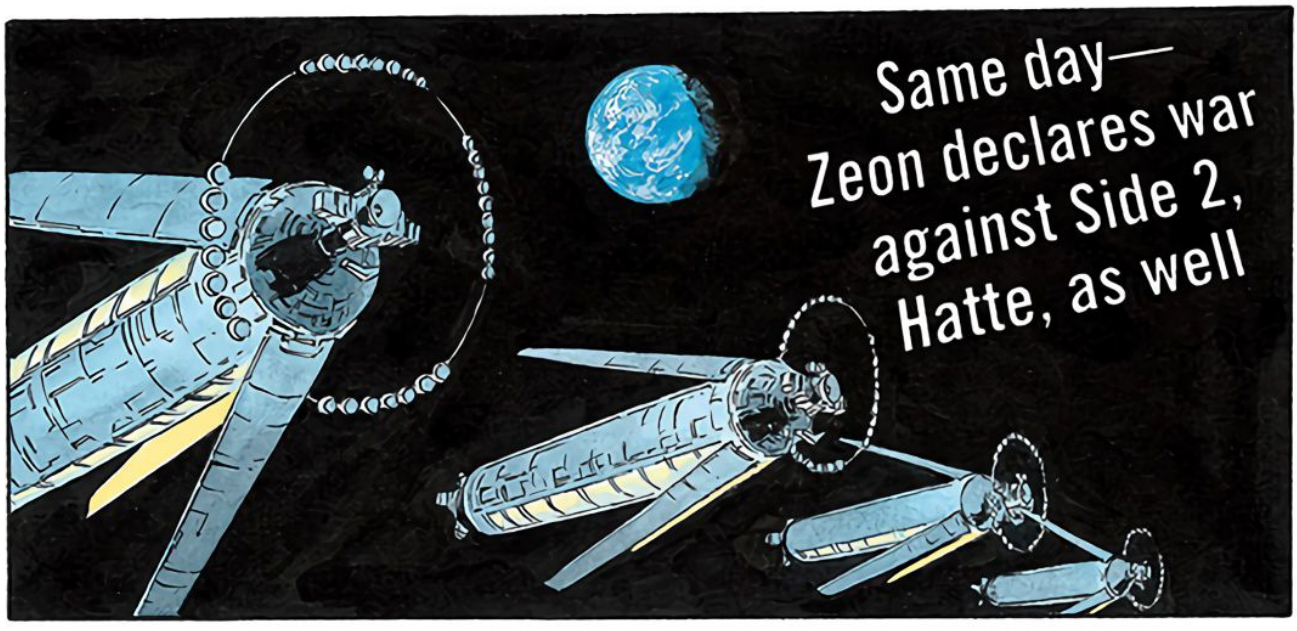
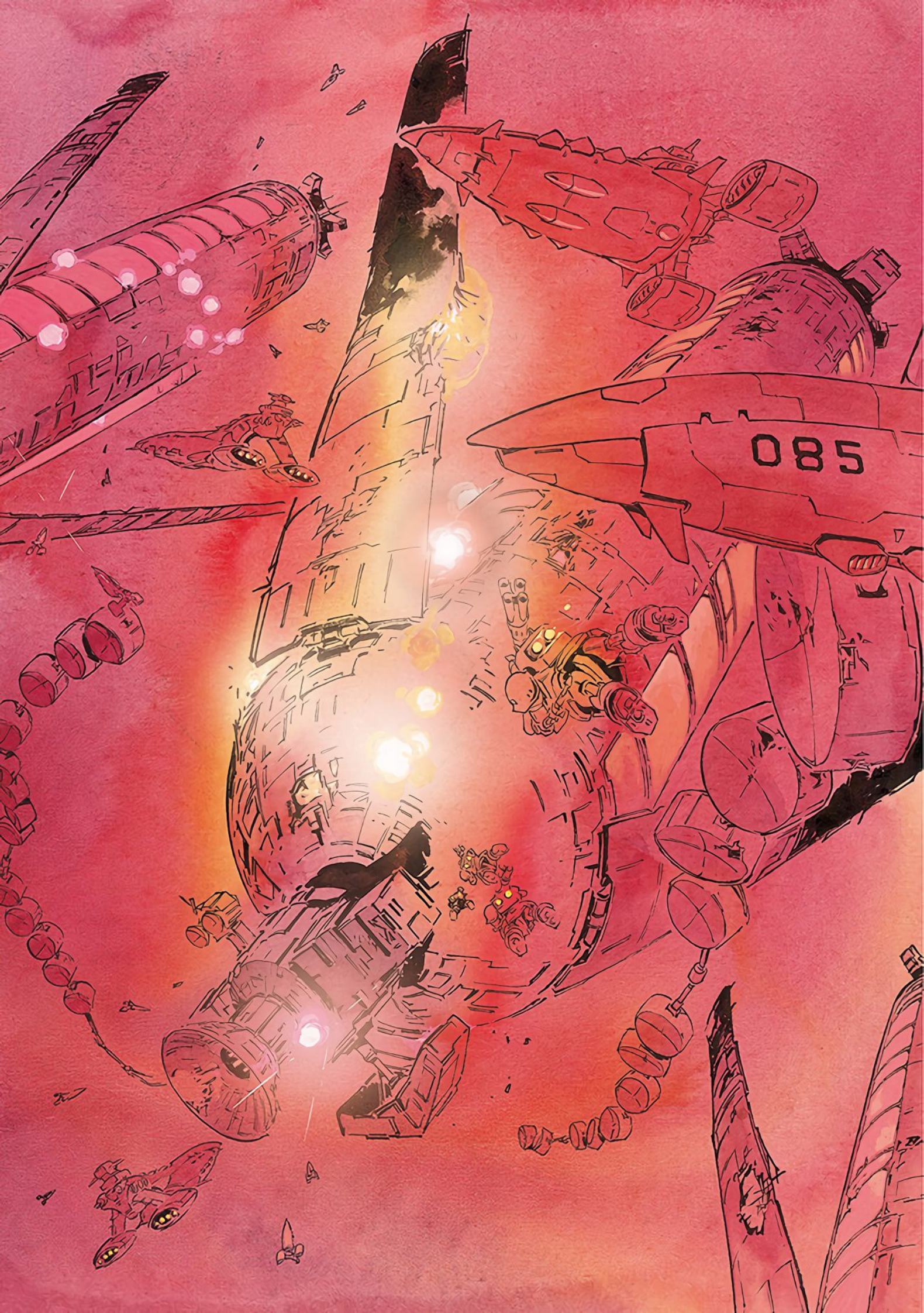

Assault forces under
Rear Admiral Kycilia
overwhelm Granada
and go on to capture
Von Braun


Same day—
Zeon declares war
against Side 2,
Hatte, as well

and
mounts
an attack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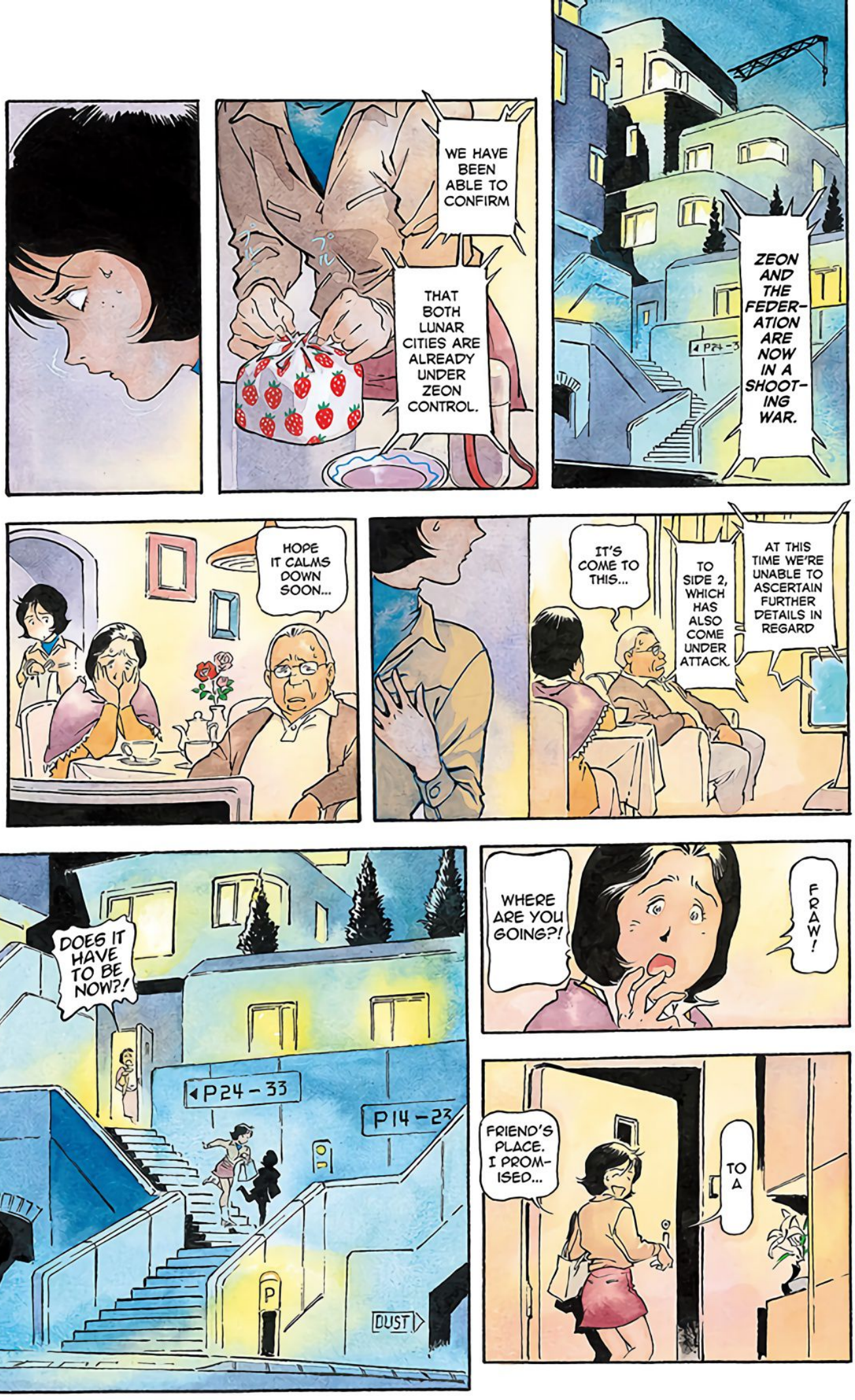
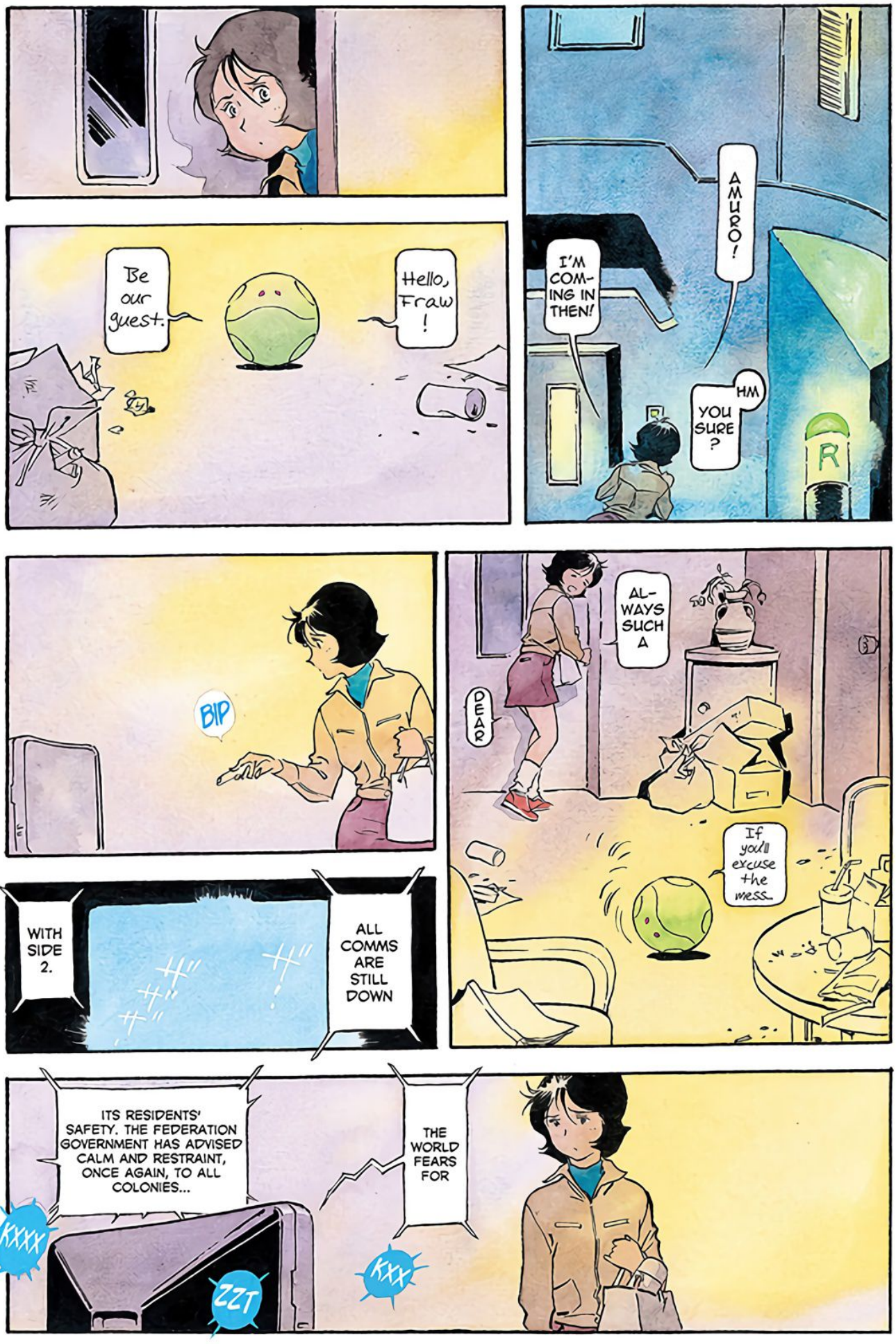

WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO CONFIRM
プル プル
THAT BOTH LUNAR CITIES ARE ALREADY UNDER ZEON CONTROL.
ZEON AND THE FEDERATION ARE NOW IN A SHOOTING WAR.
P24-3
HOPE IT CALMS DOWN SOON...
IT'S COME TO THIS...
TO SIDE 2, WHICH HAS ALSO COME UNDER ATTACK.
AT THIS TIME WE'RE UNABLE TO ASCERTAIN FURTHER DETAILS IN REGARD
DOES IT HAVE TO BE NOW?!
P24-33
P14-23
P
DUST
WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!
FRAW!
FRIEND'S PLACE. I PROMISED...
TO A


AMURO!
I'M COM-ING IN THEN!
HM YOU SURE?
R
Be our guest.
Hello, Fraw!
BIP
DEAR
AL-WAYS SUCH A
If you'll excuse the mess.
WITH SIDE 2.
ALL COMMS ARE STILL DOWN
ITS RESIDENTS' SAFETY. THE FEDERATION GOVERNMENT HAS ADVISED CALM AND RESTRAINT, ONCE AGAIN, TO ALL COLONIES...
THE WORLD FEARS FOR
KXXX
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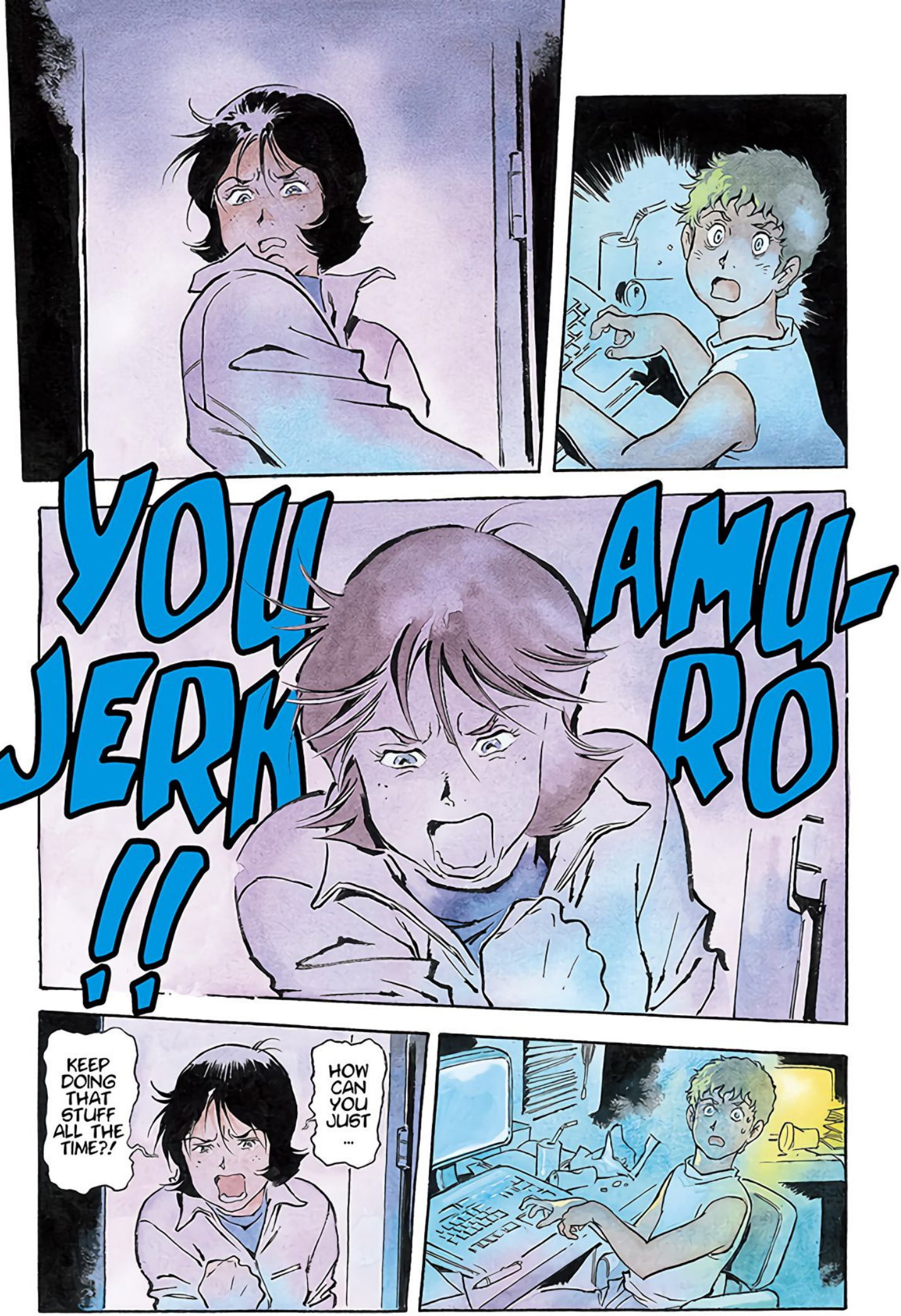
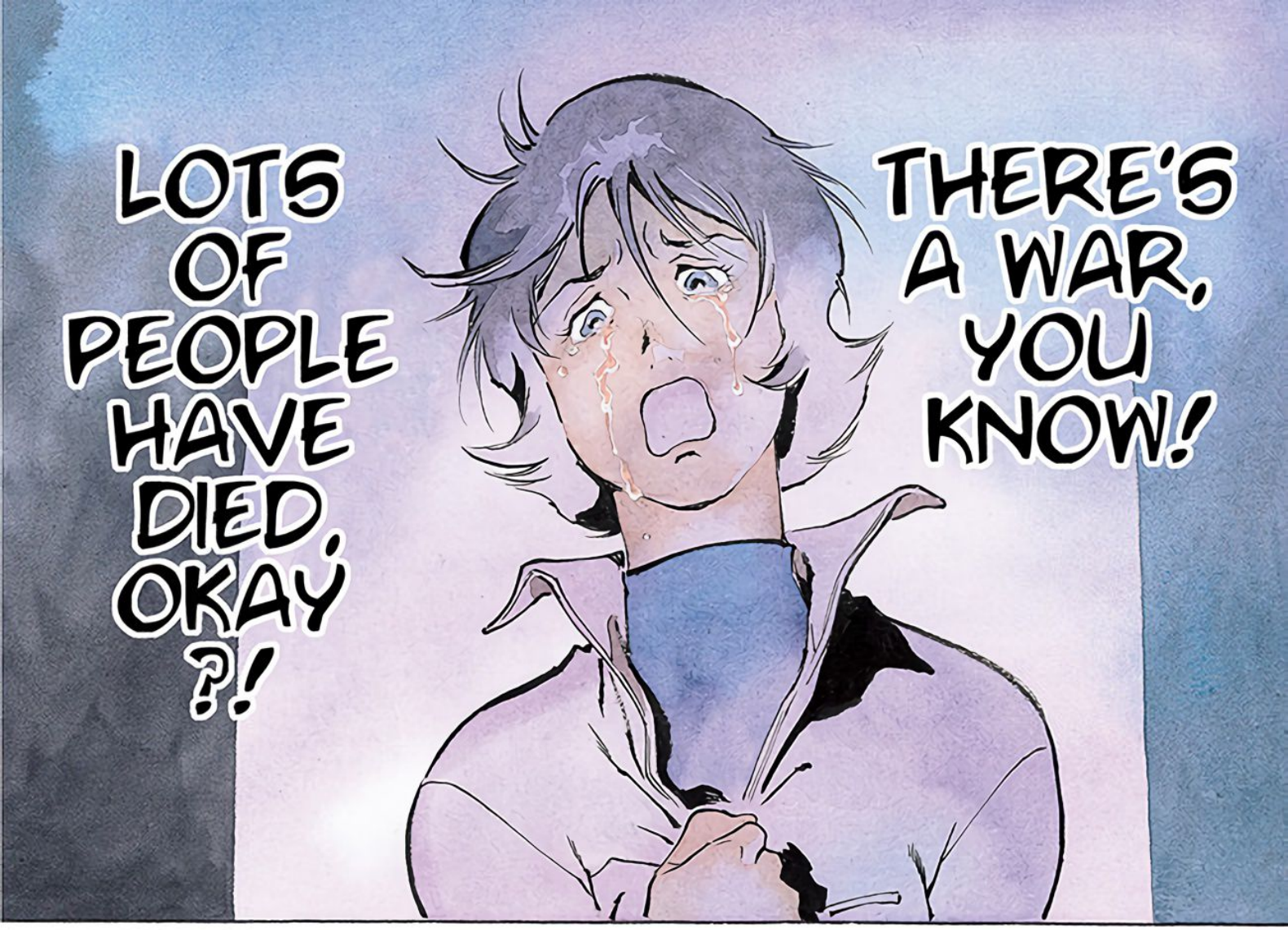
AMURO, AREN'T YOU COMING DOWN?!
THE LASAGNA WILL GET COLD!
...
...
KLATT


YOU JERK!!
AMU-RO
KEEP DOING THAT STUFF ALL THE TIME?!
HOW CAN YOU JUST ...

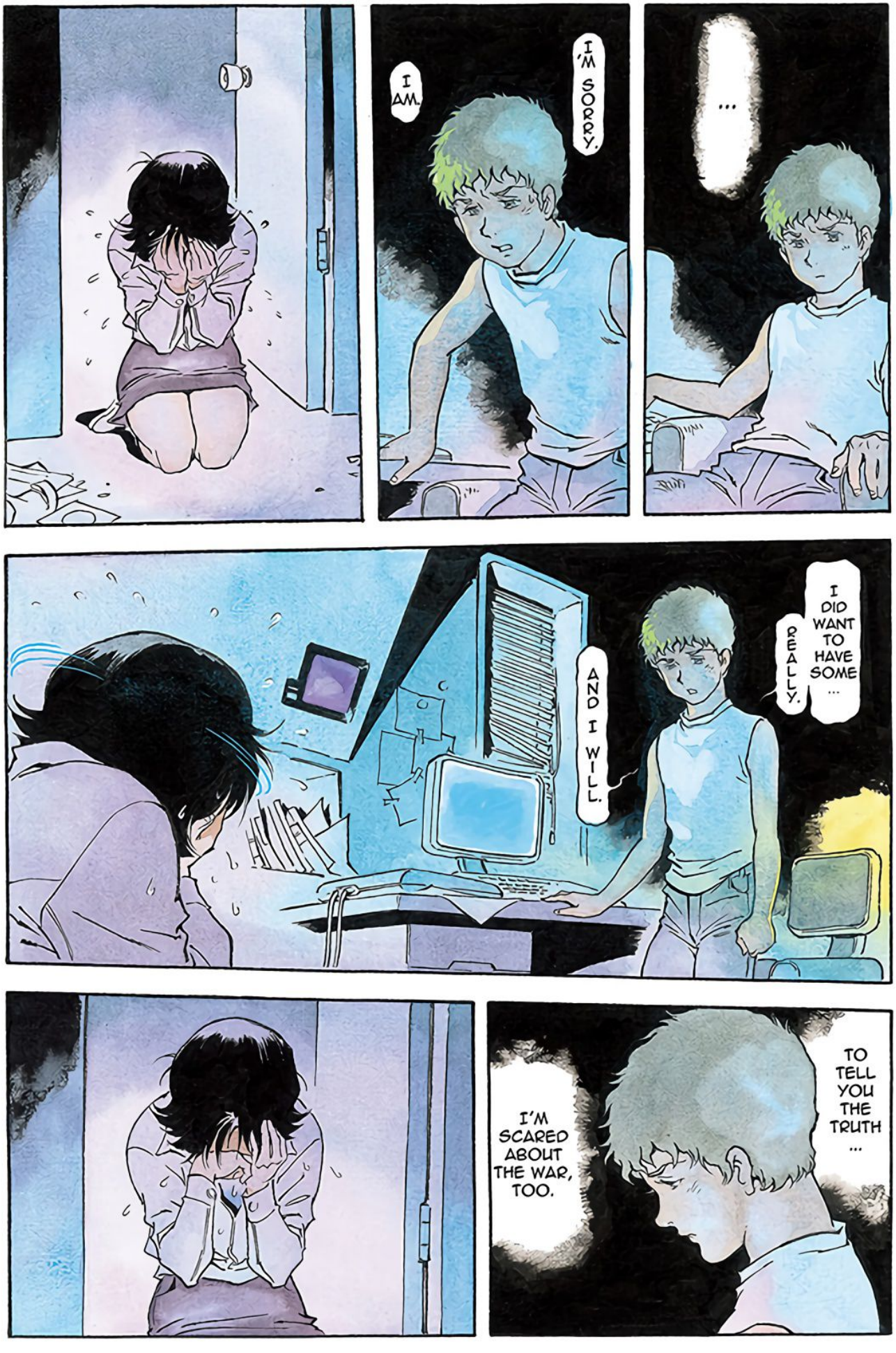

LOTS OF PEOPLE HAVE DIED, OKAY?!
THERE'S A WAR, YOU KNOW!

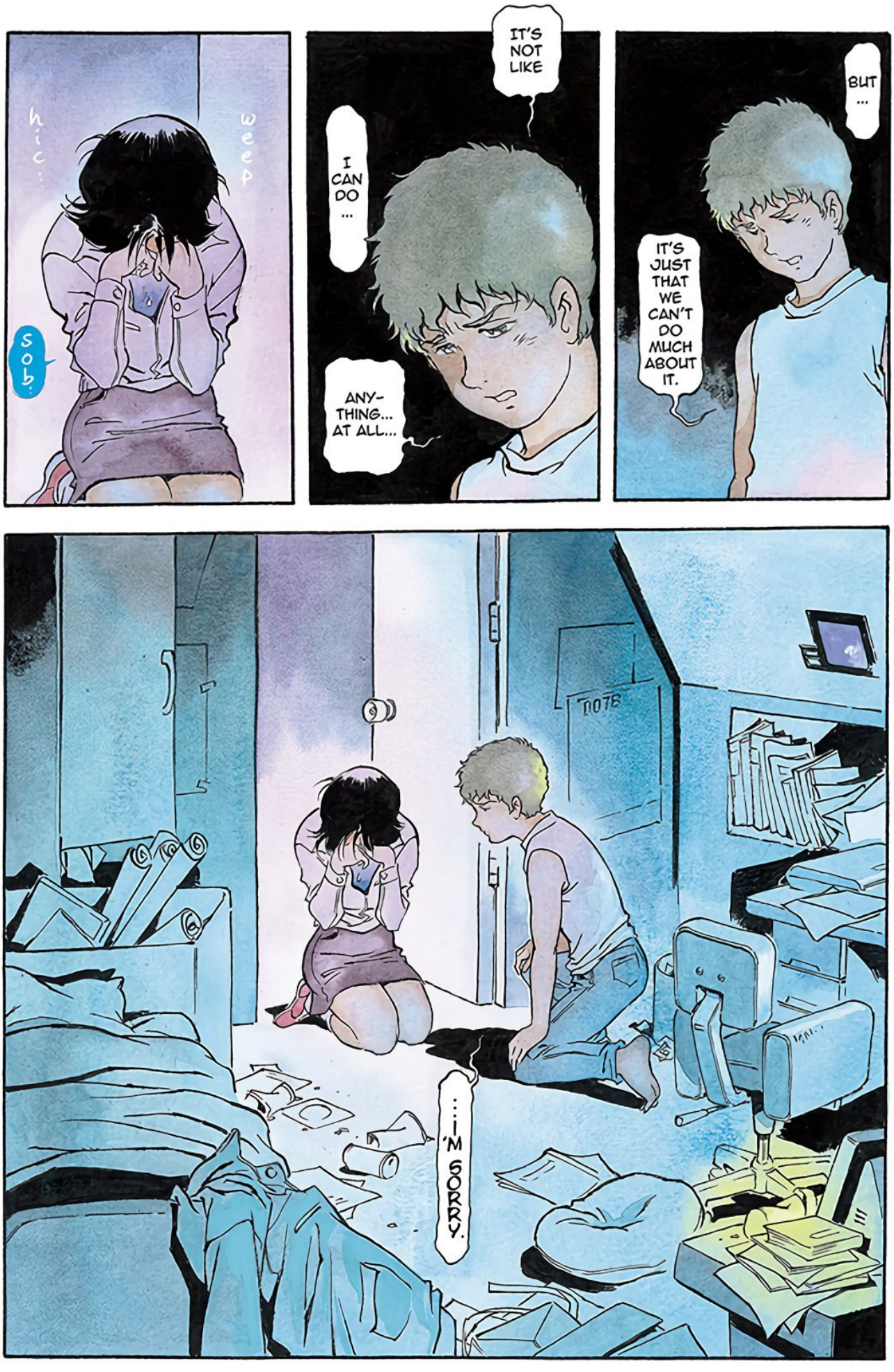
KAAY?
O...

AAAAH

WAAAAA
SOB

...


I AM.
I'M SORRY.
...
I DID WANT TO HAVE SOME ... REALLY.
AND I WILL.
I'M SCARED ABOUT THE WAR, TOO.
TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH ...


weep
hic...
sob.
I CAN DO ...
IT'S NOT LIKE
ANY-THING... AT ALL...
BUT ...
IT'S JUST THAT WE CAN'T DO MUCH ABOUT IT.
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...I'M SORRY.